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Today—Cloudy, followed by snow. Tomorrow—Fair, not much change in temperature. Yesterday—High, 31; low, 6.6. Details on Page 21.

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House Unit Cuts Farm Aid Funds $100,000,000

Surplus Removal, Food Stamp Plan Money Is Eliminated By Subcommittee

By Robert C. Albright
Post Staff Writer

Elimination of $80,000,000 for farm surplus removal and the Administration's food stamp plan from the Agriculture Department appropriation bill was reported last night.

The money was reported lopped from the bill on a technical point of order in a House Appropriations subcommittee.

The badly riddled bill, reputedly trimmed more than $100,000,000 below budget estimates, will be reported to the full Appropriations Committee today, which may make further changes.

Farm bloc opposition to the measure, which prunes farm security and farm tenant funds along with other projects they cherish, was reported spreading last night.

Fears were expressed by some sponsors of the current Congressional economy drive that urban members whose cities benefit from the food stamp plan might combine with rural members in a move to return the surplus funds and $225,000,000 in unbudgeted parity payments.

Export Subsidies Involved

Not recommended by the President, the parity payments were left out of the subcommittee bill and earlier indications were that there would be no important House bid to restore them. Chairman Jones of the House Agriculture Committee said yesterday that developments abroad may force prices up to where payments will not be needed.

The $80,000,000 surplus removal fund reported eliminated carried money not only for export subsidies and promotion of farm sales, but for Secretary Wallace's expanding food stamp method of relief distribution.

The plan is now in operation in more than 25 cities, and was shortly to be extended to 45. More than 500 cities and smaller communities have applied for this type of relief.

The $80,000,000 was recommended by the budget in addition to the $100,000,000 of estimated customs receipts that will be available. It compared with $105,000,000 from customs receipts and appropriations available last year.

Total Cut a Half-Billion

The $100,000,000 aggregate reported trimmed from the farm bill would bring total reductions below last year's agriculture appropriations to more than $500,000,000, it was estimated.

Added to tentative cuts already made in four preceding appropriation bills ($128,000,000), if sustained by the full committee and the House, it would raise the economy record on the first five bills to more than $228,000,000.

Economy chiefs were attempting to avoid the $460,000,000 in additional taxes President Roosevelt said would be needed to prevent shooting the deficit over the $45,000,000,000 statutory limit on the public debt.

House subcommittee reductions in the agriculture bill reportedly passed even the $95,000,000 slash in the independent offices bill, hitherto the worst hit of the departmental supply bills.

Nonetheless, ranking committee Republicans asserted "It should be cut still more on the floor."

But some economy-minded Democrats refused to go along with all of the farm cuts. Representative Johnson (Democrat), of Oklahoma, who sponsored the recent $75,000,000

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D. C. and Nation to Dance At Birthday Balls Tonight

Post Staff Photo

James Cagney, Pat O'Brien (rear), Edward G. Robinson (center), Mrs. Robinson (left), and Ona Munson arrive at Union Station

Mickey Rooney, Gloria Jean, Brenda Joyce Take in Capital Sights; Cagney, O'Brien And Robinson Join Visiting Stars

Washington and the Nation will celebrate the birthday of the President tonight by dancing—so that others can walk.

The dancing, to raise money for the fight against infantile paralysis, starts at 9 p. m. in six hotels, the Mayflower, Raleigh, Hamilton, Washington, Wardman Park and Shoreham, and for the price to be paid the piper a good look can be had at the stars.

Last night three tough guys and a girl who's a match for them dropped in on Washington as informally as ever stars fall here from the movie firmament.

When the Congressional Limited pulled into Union Station at 8:05, it disgorged James Cagney, Pat O'Brien, Edward G. Robinson and Ona Munson. All of them made their way to the top in films in hardboiled parts and all were taking time out from work or play to help do a very tender-hearted job for the children of America.

Their descent from the train, preceded by innumerable bags, was mostly hilarious. They stood on the car steps, kidded photographers, posed, waved their hands, smiled as directed and stepped down to sign autographs for the same photographers and for the cops as well. So long was Cagney delayed at this chore that he had to race down the platform at top speed, followed by the photographers and his escort, to catch up with the others.

In the concourse the usual crowd, reduced this time to a few hundred by lack of advance publicity of the

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Cafeteria Contract Held Void

Comptroller General Said to Declare Parties Making Deal Lacked Authority

By Alfred Friendly
Post Staff Writer

Comptroller General Fred H. Brown yesterday asked that the Government terminate its contract with the Welfare and Recreational Association, whose operation of cafeterias and concessions in Federal buildings he held to be without legal sanction.

The recommendation and findings were embodied in a report transmitted yesterday to Federal Works Agency Administrator Carmody.

The report was not made immediately public by either the FWA or the General Accounting Office. From informed sources, however, it was learned that the Comptroller General advised that after a six months' termination notice, the FWA Public Buildings Administration grant contracts for operating the cafeterias to private concessionaires, bidding in competition, or seek legislation to operate the cafeterias itself.

Parties Held Not Competent

The report was said to declare that the 14-year-old contract under which the association was now operating had no validity, since the parties to it were not "competent."

The original contract was signed in 1926 between Col. U. S. Grant III, head of the Public Buildings Branch, then in the Interior Department, and the newly formed association, whose president was Col. Grant.

The GAO report is believed to hold that a Federal official may not enter into contractual relationship with the Government, and that for a contract to be valid, the parties to it must be actually "opposing."

Although the association is incorporated as a private, non-profit organization under District laws, the GAO found that its $3,000,000 assets are Government property, it was reported.

Check Off Issue Unanswered

In another ruling transmitted yesterday, the comptroller general declined to answer questions of the association's disbursing officer about "check off" provisions in a contract signed last November between the association and the C. I. O. Cafeteria Workers Union.

Under the contract, the association was to deduct $1 a month from the salary of each employe, the sum to go to the union for dues, or to a charitable organization, in accordance with the decision of each employe. At an election, more than 60 employes refused to specify either recipient.

The association had asked the GAO to determine whether the salaries of these workers could be deducted, although the employes had not authorized the check-off.

The Comptroller General replied that he had no jurisdiction

The report to Carmody, which was also an audit of the association's affairs, noted certain "irregularities," chief of which was the purchase of land and erection of a

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Producers' Milk Prices Fixed Here

Order Effective Thursday Freezes Retail Rate, Makes Relief Cut Possible

By James D. Secrest
Post Staff Writer

With approval of President Roosevelt, Secretary of Agriculture Wallace yesterday signed an order establishing minimum producer prices for milk sold in the Washington milkshed and announced it would become operative February 1.

C. I. Dunn, one-time Maryland dairy farmer, was appointed market administrator to enforce the order.

Washington distributors failed to sign the marketing pact when it was offered to them as an agreement, but 1,105 farmers voted for its adoption, with only 32 against it, in a poll conducted by the Agriculture Department.

While the handlers have not decided whether to contest the order through an appeal to the courts, their spokesmen admitted a suit could be successful only on a technicality, as the Supreme Court has upheld validity of the act under which the Secretary acted.

Two provisions which some distributors believe constitute loopholes in the order may form the basis of an appeal.

May Force Cream Boost

The order, which will benefit producers in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and Pennsylvania who ship milk into Washington, is not expected to raise the retail price of milk generally, although handlers said it will force a raise in the charge for cream and increase operating costs.

For the producers, who asked for the order, the marketing regulation will "freeze" prices on class 1 milk sold for fluid consumption and give them a higher price for class 2 milk or cream.

The order is of indefinite tenure and may be changed only if the Secretary of Agriculture is convinced conditions warrant it or if the majority of producers repudiate it.

Signing of the order will permit District welfare officials and the Surplus Commodities Corporation to complete arrangements for making milk available to families on relief at probably five cents a quart, the same price to be paid producers. Handling and pasteurization costs will be borne by the governmental agencies.

Relief Price Not Set

An Agriculture Department statement pointed out that although producers will be paid a lower price for the relief milk than other class 1 milk, the price will be higher than that for surplus milk "which otherwise would absorb the milk used for relief purposes."

"For the producer," the department said, "such a program would be expected to enlarge his fluid market and increase his total net return."

While not forecasting the retail price of relief milk, the department said the program "would be expected to encourage consumption of milk among the needy by en-

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British Repel Greatest Air Raid; 2 Ships Hit; Reds Bomb Finn Cities

100 Killed, 200 Maimed; 1,200 Russian Troops Die in 2 Battles

By Wade Werner
Associated Press Staff Writer.

Helsinki, Jan. 29.—Russian warplanes, winging their way out of the southeast in waves, rained more than 1,000 bombs on southern Finnish cities today and first reports indicated that more than 100 civilians had been killed and twice that number wounded.

The raids, the worst of the war in some sections, came as Finns cheered news of fresh successes on the front north of Lake Ladoga, where the Russians were officially reported to have left more than 1,200 dead on two snowy battlefields.

50 Killed at Hanko

Hanko, Turku, Provoo and Tampere were among the cities which felt the power of the Russian air armadas.

More than 50 persons were reported killed and 200 injured at Hanko, south coast naval base.

At Turku, residents crouched in shelters for three hours as 50 Russian bombers, swooping down out of the clouds with their engines cut, gave the city its worst bombing in 53 raids during eight weeks of war.

Thirty civilians were killed at Turku, and ten buildings were demolished. The fleets of warplanes left clouds of smoke in their wake from the fires that sprang from incendiary bombs. The Russian planes flew over the city in five waves.

Helsinki Beats Off Raiders

Twenty-three persons, four of them women, were killed when a squadron of Soviet warbirds dropped through low clouds and blasted a Red Cross field hospital in a tiny village behind the Karelian Isthmus front.

Seventeen of those killed were wounded soldiers and the remainder were hospital attendants. Five other patients managed to crawl to safety as the explosions turned the building into an inferno.

Residents of Helsinki were driven to cover four times by the approach of Russian planes, but each time the raiders were beaten off by Finnish pursuit planes and antiaircraft fire. One of the Russian craft was shot down on the outskirts of the city and its crew of three killed.

Fifteen bombers, accompanied by pursuit planes, also were driven off in an attempt to raid Karja, 30 miles from Hanko.

8 Hospitals Bombed

(Seven Finnish planes were shot down Monday in air battles, the communique of the Leningrad military area said. "Nothing of importance occurred at the front," the statement added.)

Ten Russian planes were shot down during today's terrorizing air-raids, it was announced officially.

Full details of casualties in today's raids were not immediately available, but it was certain they would more than triple the total toll for all of last week, which a review of air activity listed at 24 killed and 56 wounded.

The review said the Russians had "set a new record in bombing hospitals," asserting that eight, "clearly marked with the international emblem," had been bombed and machine-gunned last week.

One of the survivors in today's hospital bombing, a wounded soldier, told correspondents he was on

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The War Today . . .

HUNGARY'S PRESS opened a bitter attack on Rumania amid reports Foreign Minister Csaky would state Hungary's policy on Transylvania today. Page 5.

RUSSIA'S PRESS warned Norway and Sweden against helping Finland, accused Finland of seeking to restore the Romanoffs, warned Italy against joining the Allies. Page 7.

CZECH CITIZENS are being arrested on a large scale, Prague reported. Page 7.

PREMIER DALADIER warned France of the "total war" to come, urging the civil population to accept sacrifices as the army has. Page 5.

JAPAN'S INDUSTRY was throttled when the government closed power plants for at least 14 hours due to a fuel shortage; drought has seriously hampered hydroelectric power. Page 7.

Nazis Claim Nine Vessels in Attack Spread Over 400 Miles Along Coast

By Raymond Daniell.
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London, Jan. 29.—The Germans gave a hint of the shape of things to come today. Coveys of enemy bombers ranged from the Shetland Islands to the Kentish coast, bombed shipping outside British harbors and sent thousands of townsfolk and villagers scuttling to shelter in seven east coast towns.

It was the most extensive air operation of the war. It extended over more than 400 miles along the coast. At least 14 ships were attacked by bombs and machine gun fire. In the combined undersea and air attacks, a score or more of men lost their lives. Neutral shipping took the worst beating, the Norwegians, Danes and Latvians being the heaviest losers.

In all, the Nazi planes, estimated to number between 15 and 20, attacked 12 merchant ships, all but one of them British, and 2 lightships, which were not identified.

Raiders Escape in Clouds

The British did not claim to have shot down any German planes, the air ministry intimating that all escaped into low hanging cloud banks.

(The German official news agency, D. N. B., claimed tonight that Nazi fliers had "destroyed" seven "enemy armed merchant ships and two patrol boats." One British pursuit plane was shot down, the Berlin announcement said.)

Meanwhile, the torpedoing of three neutral merchant ships in the last few days was revealed today, while the Dutch steamer Nora, 298 tons, was towed into port with her stern blown out by a mine.

Captain Shoots at Plane

The most dramatic story of the day came from the steamer Otterpool, a 4,867-ton vessel, whose master lay on the bridge trying to shoot down a bomber with a rifle, each time it swooped down to rain bombs. For half an hour the German plane pressed its attack, dropping ten bombs and pumping hundreds of machine-gun bullets at the ship.

The ship was armed with one gun, but two gunners were wounded by machine-gun bullets. None of the bombs hit the ship, and the German plane flew off immediately upon the appearance of three British fighters.

The air ministry was unable to give a definite number of the enemy planes engaged in the attack, but it was believed that 15 or 20 bombers flew over the windy, icy North Sea to operate as lone hawks against shipping off the east coast.

7 Killed on Steamer

Seven men were believed to have been killed by German planes which dropped ten bombs on the 3,774-ton Latvian steamship Tautmila in the North Sea. Fifteen men and the captain's wife escaped.

The Tautmila, formerly the Headcliffe of British registry, is still afloat but burning tonight.

Capt. Dreismann, who told of the attack, said after several missiles fell, one bomb dropped "almost on top" of a lifeboat that was being lowered, killing several men and throwing others into the sea.

Another bomb "fell right on top of the cook," he said.

The British steamer Gripfast, 1,109 tons, reached a northeast port tonight after being damaged in an aerial attack. One of her crewmen was suffering from a bullet wound in his leg. One of her lifeboats was missing.

Seven bombs rained around the steamer Llanwern in the Tyneside

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Nazis Protest Vatican Radio Atrocity Stories

Charge Participation in Propaganda, Although Worse Is Told at Home

By Otto D. Tolischus
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Berlin, Jan. 29.—The German government, it was learned today, has made formal representations to the Vatican against use of the Vatican radio for broadcasting charges of German persecution and slaughter of priests and civilians in the German share of Poland.

The representations were made by the German ambassador to the Vatican and took the stand that by broadcasting such charges, the Vatican radio participated in enemy propaganda against Germany.

The broadcast charges were extracts from an 11,000-word report presented to Pope Pius XII by Cardinal Hlond, primate of Poland, the full text of which was made public yesterday.

These representations, apparently, are part of a German counter-campaign, designed to discredit reports gradually seeping through to the outside world regarding the punishment that is being inflicted upon the Polish and Jewish population of Poland, and to some extent, also, upon the Czech population in the protectorate.

As a point of fact, reports about the severity of German measures in both Poland and the Czech protectorate are much more copious and far more alarming in Germany

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Children to Get $1,500,000 Left By Mrs. Walters

Margaret Hagner, 8, and her 2-year-old sister, Alexandra, will share the $1,500,000 estate left by their mother, Mrs. Caroline Roebling Hagner Walters, Washington socialite, according to a District Court decision at Reno, Nev.

The decision held that the will had not been invalidated by the heiress' marriage to Paul A. Walters, of Reno, who contested the bequests and sought a husband's share. The will was made while she was married to Alexander B. Hagner, of Washington and Warrenton, Va.

Court Upholds N. Y. Tax on Interstate Coal

Stone, 4 Roosevelt Appointees Reject Plea Commerce Is Impeded

A sharply split Supreme Court decided yesterday that New York City's 2 per cent sales tax does not unduly burden interstate commerce or infringe the commerce clause of the Constitution.

The court divided 5 to 3. Justice Stone, supported by four of President Roosevelt's court appointees, wrote the majority opinion. Stone sustained the city tax legislation against charges that it impedes the free flow of commerce.

Chief Justice Hughes, backed by Justices McReynolds and Roberts, vigorously dissented. Hughes opposed "upholding the action of States which, looking with a jealous eye upon the freedom of interstate

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Martin Says U. S. 'Front' Is At Farm Gate

House Minority Leader Addresses Throng at Kansas Day Dinner

By International News Service

Topeka, Kans., Jan. 29.—Rigid neutrality toward foreign wars and concentration upon domestic problems, with millions unemployed and mounting Federal deficits and tax levies—this was the "platform" presented here tonight by Representative Martin (Republican), of Massachusetts.

Martin, House minority leader and potential dark horse Presidential candidate, told a throng attending the annual Kansas Day Dinner:

"The greatest danger to the peace and security of the United States today is not from foreign invasion, but from allowing pressing home problems to go unsolved."

Martin's appearance here, as the guest of Alf M. Landon, 1936 Republican standard-bearer, was interpreted generally as designed to sample the reaction of Mid-West farm leaders to the Massachusetts "dark horse."

The celebration attracted representatives of other G. O. P. candidates and possibilities, all eager to mingle with the Republicans of the farm section where strenuous efforts are under way to line up delegates. Backers of Senator Vandenberg, of Michigan, and District Attorney Dewey of New York were present. National Chairman John Hamilton also participated in the celebration.

Martin said:

"In recent months there has been what I believe to be a studied effort

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It's So Cold Even the Family Trees Freeze

Annapolis, Jan. 29 (AP).—The boys who toy with the truth would feel at home here since the cold wave brought out an unprecedented crop of "whoppers." Some examples:

That deckhands on bay ships dodge when the whistle blows because the steam congeals into a ball and bounces on the deck.

That the statue of Justice Roger Taney stood up and put its hands in its pockets.

That some of the oldest colonial family trees in Maryland have been winter-killed.

No Relief in Sight:

1-to-3-Inch Snow Here Today Forecast With Continued Cold

The weatherman last night saw no let-up of Washington's subfreezing temperatures for at least two more days, and gloomily predicted more snow—from 1 to 3 inches—for the Capital today.

Only consolation for District residents faced with the coldest weather in 123 years was that most of the Nation east of the Rockies, especially Maryland and Virginia, was similarly discomforted. More snow and frost are also due today in the Capital's neighboring States.

The mercury here plunged to 6.6, low for the season, at 8:30 a. m. yesterday, rose to 31 shortly after 3 p. m. and then started falling again. It was expected to fall to 15 by dawn today. The forecast calls for snow this afternoon and tonight, to be followed by clear weather tomorrow.

Two persons were injured yesterday and last night on the city's icy streets.

John Chambers, 52, of Richmond, Va., received a scalp cut and bruises of the face when he slipped at Seventh street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest. Louella Williams, 12, of 920 Third street southeast, was treated for lacerations of the left leg, received while coasting at Sixth and K streets southeast.

Both south and north of Washington temperatures plummeted down below the District's mark. Burlington, Vt., reported zero; Cincinnati, 1, and Richmond, 2, with 12 below zero recorded at the Richmond airport outside the city.

The temperature showed a slight slow rise in the Eastern and Southern States, but it was still considerably below normal from the Mississippi Valley eastward to the Atlantic Coast. Temperatures were generally milder over the western half of the country. Some of the cold weather observations yesterday include Asheville, N. C., with a low of 3 above zero; Atlanta, Ga., 15; Baltimore, 12; Bismarck, N. D., 2; Boston, 13; Chicago, 23; Cleveland, 8; Detroit, 14; Duluth, Minn., 5; St. Paul, 8; Pittsburgh, 7; St. Louis, 27.

But out on the West Coast the mercury rose to the 70's and 80's, with Los Angeles reporting a high of 77; Phoenix, Ariz., 80; San Diego, Calif., 72.

Virginia, slowly recovering from the bitter cold spell and the 1-to-2 foot snow that paralyzed normal traffic last week, braced itself for

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Roosevelt to Urge Hospital Program as an Experiment

President Roosevelt will observe his fifty-eighth birthday anniversary today by sending to Congress a special message recommending an experimental hospital construction program for areas lacking hospital facilities.

Stephen T. Early, White House press secretary, said the President spent part of last night working on the message in order to be able to complete it and send it to Congress today.

The program will call for the expenditure by the Government of about $10,000,000 in building modest, inexpensive hospital units in poverty-stricken sections—chiefly rural areas in the South, West and Far West. Mr. Roosevelt has suggested that about 50 such units be erected on an experimental basis. Then, if the plan works, it can be expanded.

The significance of the proposal is that it is an Administration alternative to the Wagner bill, drafted to carry out the elaborate health program of the Interdepartmental Committee to Coordinate Health and Welfare Activities. This bill eventually would cost Federal, State and local governments $850,000,000 to $1,000,000,000 annually.

Mr. Roosevelt has emphasized that he is not critical of the Wagner bill. But the cost is prohibitive at this time, he has intimated. Moreover, the Wagner bill encountered strong opposition from the American Medical Association and hospital groups.

Lewis Pictures Miss Perkins As 'Woozy in the Head'

By the Associated Press

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 29.—John L. Lewis pictured Secretary Perkins as "woozy in the head" today and accused big business of failing to cooperate with labor to solve unemployment.

The United Mine Workers Convention, listing the jobless as the No. 1 problem of the community, then urged President Roosevelt to call together leaders in labor, business, industry and agriculture to devise a solution—a proposal repeatedly advocated by the C. I. O.

Lewis, head of the mine workers and the C. I. O., expressed "contempt" for those "who refuse to raise their hands to relieve the distress of the unemployed."

In another bitter indictment of the Roosevelt Administration, he said Secretary Perkins told a delegation of U. M. W. officers that she did not consider unemployment as serious as they reported and asked them to give the Democratic Party time and it would work out everything.

"After three hours," Lewis related, the delegation "went away woozy in the head, just like the good woman who is Secretary of Labor."

Lewis remarked that he believed Miss Perkins would "make a good housekeeper," but "I don't think she knows any more about the

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Barber Shop Anecdote

Mr. L. S. Slabaugh, of 6904 4th St. Northwest, decided to leave Washington. Then came the problem of how to dispose of his Takoma Park barbershop in a hurry. He had heard about the quick results that Post want-ads get, so he ordered a two-line Post ad. And The Post came through. He sold his shop in just three days!

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Over the Coffee

By Harlan Miller

ROOSEVELT AT 58: SUGAR-COATED TRANSITION

As he ends his 58th year the President couldn't pass for 55. But neither would he be mistaken for a patriarchal 60. He looks his age, a well-weathered 58, with a face more deeply etched by conflict than by time.

Harlan Miller

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Most of his photographs show his face smoother and more impervious than it is. A sad disservice; it spreads the myth that he rides this turbulent time all serene and unscathed. He does not. But also, he is not a futile worrier.

In certain lights Roosevelt's face is as deep-lined as Lincoln's.

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Callers see him at 3 and emerge agog at his vim, the high spirits of a man of 30. Callers see him at 5 and swear he is worn and fading.

Last week I talked separately with two men who had seen him that day, men who see him frequently.

"Never saw him looking stronger," said one.

"Never saw him so fatigued," said the other.

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Neither is right, of course. Tedium tires him, novelty revives him. A sudden flash of give-and-take makes him soar from the depths of a brown study. Opposition, criticism stoke him up like a supercharger. He warms to flippancy and irreverence.

"—for 1940's eyes, more aplomb"

Under the pitiless diagnosis of thousands of eyes, he is as much at ease as any Barrymore. His aplomb grows smoother.

For a bit of horseplay he doffs his burdens with a shrug. For a moment he is an amiable Harvard alumnus.

And suddenly, with no more transition than a flex of his neck muscles he is the New Deal President again.

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I saw him on Saturday. He was enjoying the broad banquet humors of successful men who are safely surrounded by other successful men. He contributed his bit like any good Alpha Delt.

I saw him on Sunday. He was a little subdued, like any man who had been out a bit late the night before.

I saw him again on Tuesday. He was exuberant, buoyed up by his best audience.

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An inveterate wisecracker himself, he sympathizes with other wisecrackers. I have never seen him let another's lame wisecrack lie flat on the floor where it falls. He helps pick it up.

When a humorist turns out unexpectedly good he is as incredulously and candidly surprised and pleased as a small boy whose father without warning tells him an entertaining story.

"—1940's ears hear more irony"

It has passed almost unnoticed that Roosevelt's struggle is first of all within himself, next with his ardent lieutenants, last and least of all with his adversaries.

To the jeers from the hostile grandstand he reacts exhilaratedly, like a Giant third-baseman to Brooklyn's bleachers.

He has learned a touch of irony is better than a scuffle. He does not meet opposition as head-on as he used to.

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His endless struggle is within himself. He is both the conservator of a cherished past, a well-beloved status quo, and the driven explorer of brave but fearful new worlds.

And he fights daily a guerrilla warfare with his intimate advisers. No two of them agree fully with him or with each other.

No two men see the present alike, much less the future.

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Roosevelt is sugar-coated transition. Who stands firmer against world revolution?

As he ends his 58th year, his enemies on the left and right attest that the Roosevelt Revolution was a myth. Today the more extreme labor leaders are lukewarm to him.

He has entrenched himself so near the center that there's scarcely room for a small reactionary to squeeze in between him and the center.

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Revolution from either the left or the right would to Roosevelt seem too much like scuttling the ship, from steerage or first-class. Roosevelt is sugar-coated transition. The Right doesn't want transition, the Left doesn't want it sugar-coated. No wonder Roosevelt on his 58th birthday is equally sardonic toward the left and the right. In the last year he has learned to be sardonic. Even about a third term.

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Hull Answers Opponents of Trade Policy

War, Economic Status Require Agreements, Secretary Contends

Secretary Hull yesterday replied vigorously to charges that he had switched his position on expansion of the Executive's tariff powers.

He referred caustically to "artful persons" who, "under the name" of Representative Woodruff (Republica), of Michigan, sent him a letter asking for an explanation of his apparent change of views.

"I have not yet been able to locate the letter," Hull said in a statement, "but according to press reports it has already been circulated by the old guard segment of the Republican National Committee."

Hits Hawley-Smoot Act

The Secretary declared "there is no news and no sincere purpose in referring back to my official attitude during the Twenties when I opposed any flexibility in tariff-making.

"It is of course true that many of us were waging earnest opposition to steadily mounting embargoes and excesses in our tariff and trade policy. But that is neither here nor there.

"Despite our efforts, the unprecedented economic collapse, to which the Hawley-Smoot act contributed so powerfully, came upon the country, with resulting bankruptcy to agriculture, labor and business."

Emergency Is Cited

He referred to "emergency conditions" in 1933 which necessitated drastic steps, and said enactment of the trade treaty program was one of those steps. Because of the European war, he added, even graver international conditions exist today.

Therefore, he said, the Administration is seeking a three-year extension of "this temporary agency"—the trade treaty program—coupled with the assurance that when conditions return to normal, "Congress and the country can then determine a permanent commercial policy, in the light of the new and changed conditions everywhere, and of the weight of judicial opinion."

'They Should Apologize'

"They should be apologizing to the American people for having led them into bankruptcy, mainly by policies of extreme economic nationalism, instead of seeking at every step to prevent the work of improvement and restoration of international trade by the most effective method yet devised," he said of opponents.

Meanwhile the trade agreements were under attack by Howard I. Young, chairman of the tariff committee of the National Association of Manufacturers, who testified before the House Ways and Means Committee.

Young said that under present conditions, with Europe at war, manufacturers would hesitate to enter into any long-term contract, and he questioned the advisability of entering into three-year trade agreements.

Adm. Hughes' Widow To Sponsor Destroyer

Secretary Edison yesterday named Mrs. Charles F. Hughes, of Long Beach, Calif., widow of Admiral C. F. Hughes, former chief of Naval Operations, as sponsor for a new destroyer to be named for her husband.

The destroyer Hughes will be launched at the Puget Sound Navy Yard April 15.

In Congress

TODAY

By the United Press

Senate

In recess.

Monopoly Committee continues hearings on steel industry.

House

Debates Agriculture appropriation bill.

Naval Affairs Committee hears Secretary Edison.

Ways and Means Committee continues trade program hearings.

YESTERDAY

Senate

Adjourned at 2:01 p. m. until noon Thursday after considering unanimous conset calendar bills.

Appropriations Committee reported $57,541,300 urgent deficiency bill.

House

Adjourned at 4:33 p. m. until noon today after considering claims bills.

Ways and Means Committee heard witnesses on trade program.

Naval Affairs Committee questioned Admiral Stark on naval expansion program.

Smith committee continued NLRB hearings.

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'Brother Act'—Dramatis Personae: Lewis and Johnson

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Gen. Hugh S. Johnson (right), former NRA administrator, said his speech to United Mine Workers yesterday at Columbus, Ohio, sounded like a "brother act" because he concurred so frequently and vigorously with proposals advanced by CIO Chieftain John L. Lewis (left). They were pictured yesterday

Martin Says U. S. 'Front' Is at Farm Gate

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economic problems of this country on the part of men in high places to divert the attention of the Nation from the failures of the New Deal and to focus public discussion upon wars abroad.

"Of course, we all have a deep interest in those tragic struggles. Our sympathies go out to nations and peoples who are fighting heroically against the aggression of dictators. Nevertheless, our sympathies and emotions must be kept within the bounds of neutrality.

"In order to be able to help rescue the world from a chaos which may result from these wars, and to assure our own safety, we must remain at peace, solve our own problems and restore our internal economy."

Martin said partisanship in foreign affairs cannot be tolerated, but he served notice that Republicans in Congress will "not follow blindly every suggestion that is made."

"We will support those policies which we earnestly believe are best for the Nation," he said, continuing:

"We shall not hesitate to oppose any proposal we believe might lead us into war or which might be detrimental to our national interest. This, it seems to me, is what people living under a constitution have a right to expect of their representatives.

"We must not allow any group to distract our attention from our first objective, which is to solve our domestic problems. We must put our 9,000,000 of unemployed men and women back to work.

"Our front line is not on the Rhine, nor is it anywhere in France. It is at the farm gate and the factory door."

"The record discloses, of course, that the promises of the New Dealers that their reciprocal trade program would increase export has, like so many other New Deal promises, failed to materialize." Assailing "New Deal spendthrift policies," he said:

"The present Administration has imposed new taxes every year since 1933, while creating new deficits, and is back asking for $460,000,000 more taxes."

"The United States," he said, "contains 6 per cent of the world's area and 7 per cent of its population. It normally consumes 48 per cent of the world's coffee, 56 per cent of its rubber, . . . 42 per cent of its pig iron and 60 per cent of its crude petroleum.

"The United States operates 60 per cent of the world's telephone and telegraph facilities, owns 80 per cent of the motor cars in use, operates 33 per cent of the railroads. . . .

"The United States possesses about $17,000,000,000 in gold, it has two-thirds of civilization's banking resources and the purchasing power of its population is greater than that of 500,000,000 people in Europe.

"A leadership which in seven years cannot translate such a rich economy into assured prosperity is destitute of capacity."

Hamilton Doubts Survival

Topeka, Jan. 29 (AP).—Alf M. Landon, titular G. O. P. leader, told Kansas Republicans today "future historians will characterize the New Deal as the butterfingers administration in the Nation's history."

"What President Roosevelt forgets," exclaimed the former Kansas Governor, "is that all of his policies and utterances affect the prosperity of the United States.

"If there was any merit in the President's pump priming program, he destroyed it by his nagging of business!"

National Chairman John Hamilton in an address before the Republican State Committee said that "if we have four more years of New Dealism the republican form of government cannot survive."

Roosevelt Petitions

Jersey City, N. J., Jan. 29.—The New Jersey organization of Mayor Frank Hague announced today that it had placed in circulation petitions for a New Jersey delegation to the Democratic National Convention pledged to support President Roosevelt for a third term.

Hague's order to circulate the petitions was seen as the first important step to help President Roosevelt control the national convention. It was said that the New Jersey delegation not only would be pledged to President Roosevelt, but in the event he does not run or withdraws, to whomever he names.

Ellender Attacks Inquiry

By the Associated Press

An attack by Senator Ellender (Democrat), of Louisiana, on the recent Federal investigation of Louisiana voting yesterday aroused the interest of politicians here.

Ellender, who usually supports Administration legislation and declared himself some months ago in favor of a third term for President Roosevelt, told his colleagues the investigation was designed "to intimidate the people of my State."

The Louisana Senator asserted that O. John Rogge, special Justice Department attorney, had used tactics that were "nothing short of persecution." Ellender is a supporter of Gov. Earl K. Long who faces a run-off with Sam Jones next month for the Democratic nomination for the governorship.

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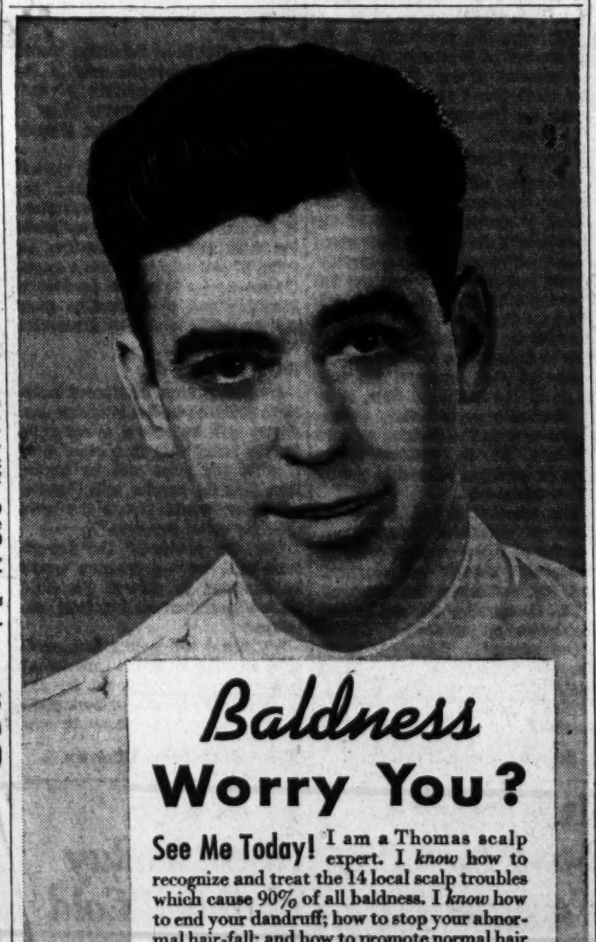

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Miners Urge Job Conference

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than a Hottentot does about the moral law."

The C. I. O. chief's outburst against the Labor Secretary climaxed these highlights of the day's session:

Philip Murray, U. M. W. vice president, declared "uprisings might develop from people seeking a right to live" unless the unemployment problem is solved.

Gen. Hugh S. Johnson, former NRA administrator, called on labor "to keep both parties guessing" on its intentions in the 1940 campaign and warned against it becoming "a stupid sucker" by supporting a Presidential candidate or party instead of fighting for the issues.

Sidney Hillman, president of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers, assured "there will be no major differences" between his union and the mine workers. He did not mention his indorsement of the Roosevelt Administration policies which Lewis earlier called a breach of faith.

Murray, also chairman of the Steel Workers Organizing Committee, joined his chief in assailing business leaders' asserted apathy toward unemployment.

"If the business man thinks he is protecting his stockholders and investments by not caring for unemployment, then he is just an ordinary, ignorant fool," shouted Murray. "It is the function of the Government to take the ostrich head out of the sand and ring it until it does something.

"The Federal Administration in Washington has evidenced no desire to cure unemployment."

Johnson, once a Roosevelt Administration advisor, concurred vigorously with proposals advocated by Lewis, especially the C. I. O. chief's refusal to commit himself on a Presidential candidate.

"It is the proper strategical position for any great labor leader to keep both parties guessing—and boy, how John Lewis has done that since this convention opened. . . .

"No labor leader can prudently afford to tie his people to the chariot wheel of any political party or leader."

The mine workers declared today that labor "wants no war or any part of it," and commended President Roosevelt for "safeguarding our relations against involvement."

The union instructed its officers in a resolution to support all neutrality policies designed to "keep us out of war and legislation to take profits out of war."

Another resolution called upon President Roosevelt to issue an executive order requiring corporations to comply with the national labor relations act before receiving Government contracts.

The convention also instructed its officers to press for legislation guaranteeing collective bargaining in Government contracts.

The resolution said "the Federal Government now is subsidizing through profitable contracts and loans, corporations such as Republic Steel, Bethlehem Steel, Electric Boat Co. and Douglas Aircraft Corporation, which are flagrant violators of the national labor relations act."

On Capitol Hill

Danaher Seeks Repeal of Provision Compelling Relief Furloughs

Immediate repeal of the 1939 relief act provision compelling furloughs for relief workers after 18 months of employment, was sought in the Senate yesterday by Senator Danaher (Republican), of Connecticut.

Sen. Danaher

Upon introducing a repeal bill, Danaher asked for immediate consideration, but Senator McKellar (Democrat), of Tennessee, insisted that the measure take the usual course. It went to the Senate Appropriations Committee.

"We have reports of the Works Relief Administration that of the hundreds of thousands of workers furloughed by this section, only 13 per cent have been able to find other jobs," Danaher said.

Senator Vandenberg (Republican), of Michigan, took over yesterday the Senate seat occupied by William E. Borah, of Idaho.

A $110,000 item in the deficiency bill pending in the Senate brought grim reminder of deaths of 11 Congressmen since passage last regular session of a similar bill. The money is for the customary year's salary each for widows of the deceased members. Ten of the $10,000 funds represented deaths of House members and the eleventh was inserted by the Senate Appropriations Committee for Mrs. Borah.

Counsel for Albert F. Swanson, of Sioux City, asked a House Elections Committee yesterday for a recent recount of Congressional votes cast in the 1938 general election in Woodbury County and Milford Precinct of Dickinson County, Iowa.

Swanson, who was the Ninth District Republican Congressional nominee, is contesting the election of Representative Harrington (Democrat), of Iowa, who was declared winner by 339 votes.

Work has been going on for months on the Byrd resolution, under which a complete picture of assets, liabilities, securities, revnues and expenditures, and an appraisal of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Home Owners Loan Corporation, Federal Housing Administration and similar agencies will be given.

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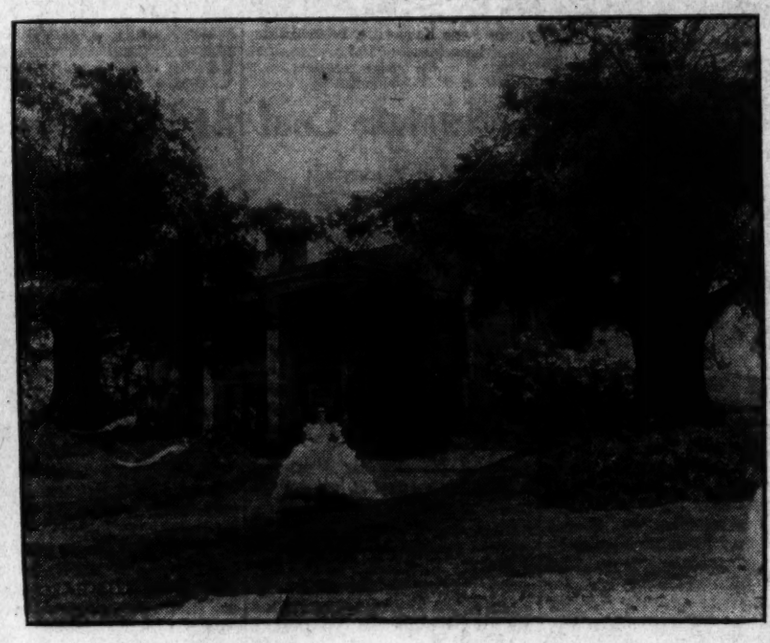

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Sledding free from all traffic dangers is now possible on 39 hills roped off and guarded by the Metropolitan Police, it was announced yesterday by the American Automobile Association.

Washington L. Cleveland, manager of the D. C. Division of the A. A. A, warned that many serious accidents and some fatalities have resulted from coasting on hills where automobile or street car traffic is allowed. No streets have been roped off in the First and Third precincts:

Those roped off:

Second Precinct

Bates street from No. 15 to No. 77 northwest, Fenton street between North Capitol and First street northeast.

Fourth Precinct

N street from Fourth to Union street southwest, Ninth street between C and D streets southwest.

Fifth Precinct

South Carolina avenue between First and Second streets southeast.

Sixth Precinct

Thirteenth street between Kalmia street and Eastern avenue northwest, Holly street between Sixteenth and Seventeenth street northwest, Oglethorpe street from First to Third street northwest, Piney Branch road from Buchanan to Decatur street northwest, First street from Emerson street to Gallatin street northeast, Yorktown road and Colonial Village—off Beach drive.

Seventh Precinct

Klingle street from Fifty-first place to Macomb street northwest, Garfield street from Forty-fourth to New Mexico avenue northwest, W street between Thirty-ninth place and Huidekoper place northwest, Galena place from Potomac avenue to Doresett place northwest, Elliott place—Conduit road to Clark.

Eighth Precinct

Brandywine street from Forty-second to Forty-fourth street northwest, Morrison street from Broad Branch road to Chevy Chase parkway northwest, Limeau avenue, Ellicott street to Broad Branch road, Newark street, Thirty-third street to Highland place.

Ninth Precinct

Tenth street northeast from Maryland avenue to G street northeast, Oates street northeast from Trinidad avenue to Sixteenth street northeast, Twenty-third place northeast from Benning road to E street northeast, Queen street northeast east from Trinidad avenue to Sixteenth street northeast.

Tenth Precinct

Eighth street from Shepherd to Taylor street northwest, Irving street from Mount Pleasant to Adams Mill road northwest, Third street from Allison to Webster street northwest.

Eleventh Precinct

High street from Maple View place to Fourteenth street southeast, Hillcrest drive from W street to Twenty-eighth street southeast, Forty-fourth place from Reed terrace to Hillside drive southeast, Forty-fourth street from Eads street to Hays street northeast.

Twelfth Precinct

Newton street northeast between Fourteenth and Eighteenth streets, Bryant street northeast between Lincoln road and Fourth street, Twenty-sixth street northeast between Hamlin and Vista streets, Central avenue northeast between Brentwood road and Carlton avenue, Thirteenth street northeast between Irving and Jackson streets.

Thirteenth Precinct

Twentieth street northwest from Belmont road to Kalorama road northwest, Barry place northwest from Georgia avenue to Ninth street northwest, V street, North Capitol to First street northwest.

Snow Forecast; Cold to Continue

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another siege. Richmond schools closed for a week were due to reopen Wednesday. A concert by the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra, however, scheduled for tonight, was indefinitely postponed.

Maryland crews, struggling since January 22 to open roads, saw their work undone yesterday as the wind drove deep drifts across freshly-cleared highways and secondary lanes.

Distress calls for aid poured in on Maryland State officials as families in remote regions, especially on the Eastern Shore, ran low in fuel and food.

Burials Delayed

Drifts of snow, in some places 14 feet deep, delayed burials in Easton, Oxford and St. Michaels, Md., until roads could be opened and cemeteries cleared.

Ten-year-old Harold Evans, flown to a Crisfield, Md., hospital Saturday from isolated Smith's Island in Chesapeake Bay by a ski-equipped plane, still was an a critical condition, but was reported "holding his own."

Smith's Island still was cut off yesterday from the mainland by rough ice which was beginning to break up. Several residents of the island had to be flown from the mainland in order to reach their homes.

Eighty Dead Reported

Retreating frigid temperatures left behind much suffering, more than 80 dead, and damage estimated in the millions in Florida's citrus and and vegetable growing area alone, the Associated Press reported. Senator Pepper (Democrat), of Florida, said Federal agencies were investigating methods of relief for the stricken peninsula. Temperatures in the State ranged from 32 to 27 degrees.

Sections from Louisiana to Virginia slowly emerged from snow and ice to count losses and make necessary adjustments for return to normal living.

School children generally returned to classrooms, closed for almost a week, and business approached normal routine.

Louisiana led with 22 deaths attributable to the cold. Tennessee had 17, Arkansas 10, Mississippi 8, Georgia 10, North Carolina 7, South Carolina, Ailabama and Florida 6 and Virginia 4.

Tobacco Markets Open

Chattanooga, Tenn., reported minus 2 and Knoxville, Tenn., minus 4. Atlanta's snow, 10.3 inches, last Tuesday, melted under a warming sun, although thermometers only struggled toward 20 degrees.

Tobacco markets reopened in Virginia and it was learned the selling season probably would be extended to offset the weather-enforced shutdown of a week ago.

Truck crops in Louisiana and Florida were badly damaged and farm officials were unable to estimate amounts.

In Alabama relief officials distributed fuel to hundreds of farm families.

Mississippi Jammed

Federal barge line boats remained tied up near Greenville, Miss., because of river ice, and scores of Greenville residents skated on ice leading to the Mississippi's main channel, where ice jams were reported higher up the river.

In New England five Coast Guard vessels were busy smashing ice from Maine to Narragansett Bay as frozen harbors hampered shipping all along the coast. Pack ice trapped two vessels in Vineyard Sound. These were the steamer Martha's Vineyard and the four-masted Canadian schooner Lillian E. Kerr. A cutter was trying to reach and free both vessels.

This winter stands a good chance of capturing the ice cup for being the coldest reported in the District in 123 years.

Although December was unusually mild, record low temperatures this month may drive the seasonal average below the 26.3 degrees, the record set in 1856. January's average so far is approximately 7 degrees under the long-term seasonal mean of 33.4 degrees. It is also 1 degree below the average of 1917-1918 and 1.9 under the 1856 record.

30 Freezing Days

So far this winter there have been 30 days when the mercury fell below freezing. The longest below-freezing period was from December 27 until January 11. Only four days this month, January 12, 13 14 and 15, has the thermometer remained above the freezing mark of 32 degrees.

Coldest January on record was that of 1856, with an average of 21.3 degrees, 12.1 below normal. Warmest was in 1932, when the average was 46.8 or 11.7 degrees above normal.

Highest thermometer reading for January was recorded in 1932 when the mercury reached 77 degrees January 15, 1932, and lowest was minus 14 January 1, 1861. Lowest ever noted here was minus 15, recorded February 11, 1899.

Washington's warmest winter was in 1931-1932 when the average temperature was 44.6 degrees.

A Constellation Glitters About Washington

Post Staff Photos

Here with a galaxy of film stars for the celebration of the President's Birthday, Gloria Jean (top), 12-year-old singing star, yesterday visited the Federal Bureau of Investigation with her mother, Mrs. Ferman Schoonover (right), and added her fingerprints to the files. Lower —Brenda Joyce and Mickey Rooney meet Representative Caroline O'Day, hostess at a party for the celebrities at the Mayflower Hotel.

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arrival hour, closed in. The stars battled through, Cagney steering a newspaper woman, and scrambled into their automobiles. They were driven to the Carlton Hotel, where more autograph hunters, chiefly youngsters in their teens, endeavored to mob them again.

Throughout the day, film notables were drifting into Washington. Mickey Rooney and Gloria Jean together, to be greeted in Union Station by 100 school children who cried: "Hi there, Mickey!" and "Look at Gloria!" And then they told the young actors to "sign our autographs quick because we're only a jump ahead of the truant officer."

And Mickey, shivering in the cold concourse of the station, yelled, "Hey there, Joe," and Motorcycle Policeman J. V. Osterman, who had guarded him on a previous visit here, said he was pleased and astonished that he was remembered.

Then, a few hours later, Mickey told Osterman that he wanted to go skating and for ten minutes—with few people watching him—he tried to cut "M. R." in italics on the Reflecting Pool ice.

At 3:30 p. m. Gloria Jean appeared at the Department of Justice with her mother, Mrs. F. H. Schoonover. Gloria, who is 11 years old and can hit high C, was dressed in a red polka dot dress and was seeing Washington so fast she was wondering how to squeeze in school homework.

Before leaving classes "on the lot" in Hollywood she was told by the teacher to memorize "Lincoln's Gettysburg Address" for recitation later.

And Mickey, still escorted by Osterman, came in with a target he'd punctured on the G-Men's range. Being escorted to Director J. Edgar Hoover's office, he flashed this at the chief:

"Say, could you use a good underslung man on your force?"

Into the reception room came Olivia De Havilland and she and Mickey fell into some Hollywood familiarities. Outside, the girl in the elevator said:

"Whew, so many stars around here that everybody's gotten glittery."

At the Carlton Hotel, Dorothy Lamour nursed a cold. At the Mayflower, the kitchen help prepared food for the 5 p. m. reception Representative Caroline O'Day gave the stars.

Congressmen and their wives, embassy people and any who could get an invitation packed the O'Day party. Outside the hotel a few children lingered; inside were many, gaping through the door at the stars, clutching their autograph pads and pencils.

Tyrone Power arrives at Union Station at 7:15 a. m. today, but will stay on the car until 8 a. m.. The police are keeping a closer elbow on the celebrities now—since 2,000 frantic fans charged Miss Lamour at 5:30 p. m. Sunday when she arrived.

The police will watch well the activities tonight. To the six hotels will go 162 policemen and 12 detectives, overseen by 3 inspectors and 5 captains. The policemen, assigned to duty within the hotels, will wear their summer uniforms.

The Senate officially recognized the slight figure of Miss De Havilland yesterday. Rising to give formal notice to the President's Birthday Celebration, Majority Leader Barkley called attention to the star, who was seated in the family gallery. It set a Senate precedent, observers believed. And the Senators, to a man, looked.

Here for the celebration are Gene Autry, William Boyd, Mrs. William Boyd, (Grace Bradley), Red Skelton, Mary Howard, Miss De Havilland, Walter O'Keefe, Dorothy Lamour, Elsa Lanchester (Mrs. Charles Laughton), Mickey Rooney, Brenda Joyce (who arrived yesterday with Rooney and Gloria Jean); Edward G. Robinson, Ona Munson, James Cagney and Pat O'Brien. Kay Kyser and Ginny Simms arrive this morning at 7:30 a. m. at Union Station.

The program for today is as follows:

11 a. m.—Official reception at Commissioner Hazen's office, District Building, to be attended by all stars. Broadcast over WOL, WMAL and WJSV, 11:30 to 11:45 a. m.

12:30 p. m.—Luncheon at the White House for the stars, with Mrs. Roosevelt.

6:15 p. m.—Reception at the Willard Hotel for the stars and diplomats, with many socially prominent persons invited. Broadcast over WRC, WMAL, WJSV and WOL, 6:15 to 6:30 p. m.

7 p. m.—Dinner for the same group at the Willard. Plates, $7.50 each. Estimated attendance, 500.

9 p. m.—Balls at the Mayflower, Raleigh, Hamilton, Washington, Wardman Park and Shoreham hotels, with personal appearances by Mrs. Roosevelt and all the stars. At the Mayflower, Mrs. Roosevelt will cut the President's cake. Music by Kay Kyser and his orchestra at the Mayflower. Estimated ticket sales last night, 15,000.

11:30 p. m.—Midnight shows at the Earle and Capitol theaters, featuring the combined stage shows of both theaters and personal appearances by all of the visiting stars. Midnight show at Atlas Theater, featuring Gene Autry and Pat Rooney.

2 a. m.—Gold Plate Breakfast at the Carlton Hotel, tickets $25 each. Attendance will be 200.

Glasses Lead To 4 Arrests in Bank Holdups

Confession by One Suspect Reported in Maryland Robberies

Baltimore, Jan. 29 (AP).—The break-up of a bank bandit gang which struck four times in Maryland in recent months to steal more than $15,000 was claimed by State and Federal police tonight as one of four men arrested pleaded guilty in all four cases.

Sidney James Owen Thompson, 28, of Easton, Md., was held for the Federal grand jury in $100,000 bail after reportedly admitting he participated in robberies of the White Hall Bank October 28 and November 22, the Clear Spring Bank December 20 and the Walkersville Bank January 16.

Dallas Hillary Whipp, 34, formerly of Frederick, pleaded guilty to one charge—participating in the Walkersville holdup—and was held in $25,000 bail. Gerald Peabody, 39, Highfield, Md., charged in all four cases, and William Wesley Dunnock, charged in the Walkersville holdup, pleaded not guilty.

U. S. Commissioner James W. Chapman, jr., set Peabody's bail at $100,000 and Dunnock's at $25,000.

Between $1,700 and $2,000 of approximately $15,000 taken in the robberies has been recovered, E. A. Soucy, FBI agent, said.

A pair of horn-rimmed glasses found in the "getaway car" used in the Walkersville holdup played an important part in putting police on the quartet's trail, Soucy reported.

Each of the daylight robberies were conducted in similar fashion. The bandits entered during a non-rush hour; one covered the employes and locked them in the vault while another watched for customers. Then they scooped up all money available and fled in a fast automobile.

Thompson was arrested at Easton, Dunnock in Baltimore, Peabody at Highfield, near Blue Ridge Summit, and Whipp was taken into custody after his discharge from the State sanitarium at Sabillasville, where he had been treated for tuberculosis while under sentence at the State penitentiary.

'Scarlett' Accused In Esmond Suit

VIVIEN LEIGH

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

JILL ESMOND

Laurence Olivier, British stage and screen star, who has appeared in several Hollywood productions, was divorced yesterday by his actress-wife, Jill Esmond, who named Vivien Leigh, starred as Scarlett O'Hara in "Gone With the Wind," as corespondent.

Baby Is Fatally Burned Here

A 2-year-old baby was fatally burned and at least a dozen other persons escaped without injury by jumping from windows, when a three-story apartment house at 731 Fourth street northwest was swept by a two-alarm fire late yesterday.

The baby was removed from the third floor by Private George Clark, of No. 4 Truck Company. The child, Carroll Jones, had been brought by his parents, John and Mary Jones, for a few days' visit with his grandfather, David Brisbon. The baby died at Casualty Hospital.

While smoke from the first-floor blaze cut off escape by the stairway, the 50-year-old grandfather helped his family out a back window to a roof below. They reached the ground by a back stairway.

Most of the second-floor tenants escaped the same way, but Charlotte Carson, 22, jumped from the bathroom window to a woodshed and from there to the ground. Asleep when the fire started, she was awakened by Thomas Morton, 51, and jumped into the snow. Neighbors wrapped her in a coat.

The fire was discovered by E. T. White, who called attendants at a nearby filling station. They ran to No. 6 Engine House to give the alarm.

The fire was under control within a few minutes. The adjoining building of the Church of the Living God was damaged by water.

Private J. K. France, 37, of 538 Thirteenth street southeast, attached to Thirteenth Truck Co., was partially blinded by cinders yesterday while fighting a fire in a two-story building at 4407 Ord street northeast. He was treated at Casualty Hospital.

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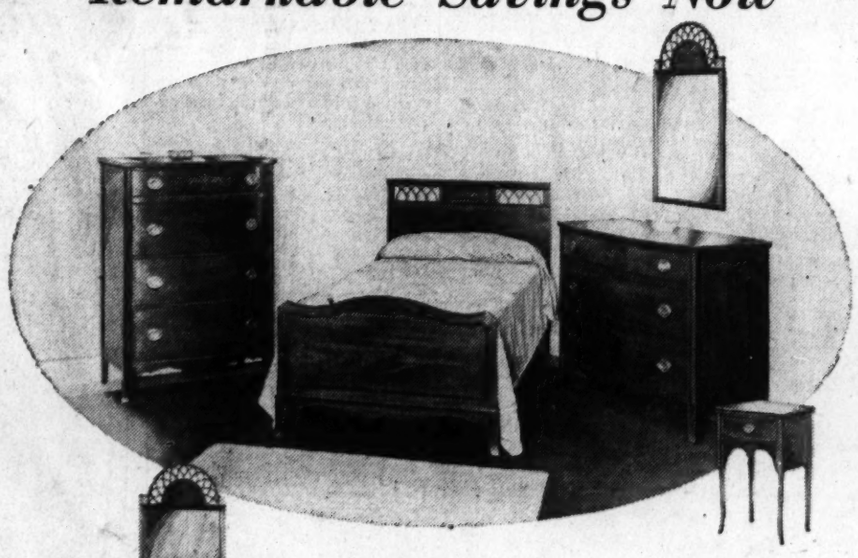

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Steel Leader Defends Basing Point Prices

Fairless Challenges Monopoly Probers to Provide a Better One

By the Associated Press

Benjamin F. Fairless, president of United States Steel Corporation, defended the multiple basing point price system yesterday as the "best merchandising medium for our steel products that has been called to our attention."

"The United States Steel Corporation," he told the monopoly committee, "doesn't take the position that there are no justified criticisms of the system. If a better system is called to our attention we would be the first to adopt it."

Fairless made these assertions during questioning by Walter Wooden, Federal Trade Commission attorney, designed to show that the basing point price system had its origin in efforts to establish uniform prices.

(Under the basing point system, purchasers pay a delivered price, which includes the base price plus freight from the nearest basing point, regardless of where the steel he buys is actually produced. Thus he may be charged more or less for freight than is actually paid by the producer if the producer is not located at the nearest basing point.)

Denying that uniform prices were either the purpose or the effect of the system, Fairless said that only after careful consideration should an attempt be made to displace it with "untried methods" because of economic "dislocation" that might result in some steel producing and consuming areas.

Wooden sought to show that the system resulted in "uneconomic location" of some mills, but Fairless asserted that other factors were predominant in dictating the location of steel plants.

Hull Gets Proposal Monroe Doctrine Take In Iceland

The State Department last night took under advisement a proposal by the Arctic explorer, Vilhjalmur Stefansson, for a declaration extending the protection of the Monroe Doctrine to Iceland.

The sub-Arctic island is situated on the Great Circle air route, midway between Europe and North America.

Stefansson, in a memorandum prepared for Secretary Hull, pointed out the undefended island might ultimately become a tempting prize of the totalitarian military thrusts which Finland is resisting and which menace Norway, Sweden and Denmark.

Ruled by a 1,000-year-old parliament and recognizing the Danish King as its sovereign, Iceland, if conquered, would provide a handy platform whence to launch aerial attacks on Canada or the United States, officials said the explorer pointed out.

Its population is 120,000 and its area 20 per cent greater than Ireland's. It has no navy or standing army.

$135,000 More Sought For G-Man Barracks

By the Associated Press

Congress was requested yesterday by President Roosevelt to appropriate an additional $135,000 for construction of a barracks and target range at Quantico, Va., for training of the Justice Department's G-men.

The additional money, the Budget Bureau explained in a memorandum attached to the President's request, would supplement $250,000 already appropriated for the work. The original appropriation contemplated the expenditure of $150,000 for the barracks and $100,000 for the target range.

Supreme Court Upholds Tax By N. Y. on Interstate Goods

Justice Stone and 4 Roosevelt Appointees Deny Sales Levy Places Undue Burden On Flow of Commerce; Hughes Dissents

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commerce, attempt to lay a direct tax upon that commerce."

Stone ruled that only when operation of a local tax impairs Congressional authority to regulate commerce does it exceed constitutional limitations. He declared it "was not the purpose of the commerce clause to relieve those engaged in interstate commerce of their just share of State tax burdens, merely because an incidental or consequential effect of the tax is an increase in the cost of doing business."

It was the court's sharpest cleavage of the present term, and it aligned all of the pre-New Deal justices except Stone behind a New York State Court of Appeals decision invalidating the New York levy.

Justices Black, Reed, Frankfurter and Douglas, all appointees of the President, voted with Stone to sustain the tax.

Wide Effect Predicted

Hughes, who rarely dissents, took emphatic exception.

"We have the duty of maintaining the immunity of interstate commerce as contemplated by the Constitution," said the Chief Justice. "That immunity still remains an essential buttress of the Union, and a free national market, so far as it can be preserved without violence to State power over the subjects within State jurisdiction, is not less now than heretofore a vital concern of the national economy."

Specifically, the court decided that New York City has the right to impose its sales tax on out-of-State coal sold by the Berwind-White Coal Mining Co. to New York concerns. But the decision was regarded as having a far-reaching effect on the expanding tax policies of cities and States seeking larger revenues.

Interest centered on the opinion also because of the Nation-wide controversy over sales tax legislation.

New York's 2 per cent tax for unemployment relief was also upheld in two cases involving the Felt & Tarrant Manufacturing Co., of Chicago, and A. H. DuGrenier, Inc., of Haverhill, Mass. The court divided 5 to 3 in each.

In other opinions the court:

Unanimously ruled that the courts have no right to supervise the administrative actions of the Federal Communications Commission. The opinion, by Justice Frankfurter, said "courts are not charged with general guardianship against all potential mischief in the complicated tasks of government." He added that "Congress, which creates and sustains these agencies, must be trusted to correct whatever defects experience may reveal."

Broadened the field of estate taxation by ruling that an estate tax may be imposed on the remainder interest of trusts created for the benefit of others after their life interest had been deducted. Justice Frankfurter wrote the opinion, reversing previous decisions. Chief Justice Hughes voted with the majority in this case, but Justices Roberts and McReynolds dissented.

Roberts and McReynolds dissented from another opinion sustaining a Kentucky personal property tax on bank deposits. The validated tax provided a higher rate on funds kept by Kentuckians outside the State than on funds deposited within the State. The opinion was by Justice Reed, a native of Kentucky.

The New York tax, he contended, is nondiscriminatory, and "is laid upon every purchaser, within the State, of goods for consumption, regardless of whether they have been transported in interstate commerce."

Chief Justice Hughes pointed out that the pressure of mounting outlays has led the States to seek new sources of revenue. He said the court already has gone far in sustaining State taxing powers "despite incidental or indirect effects upon interstate commerce." But hitherto, he argued, "we have also maintained the principle that the States cannot lay a direct tax upon that commerce."

"In confiding to Congress the power to regulate interstate commerce, the aim was to provide a free national market—to pull down and prevent the erection of State barriers to the free intercourse between the people of the States," he said. "That free intercourse was deemed, and has proved, to be essential to our national economy. It should not be impaired."

House Unit Cuts Farm Aid Funds

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slash in Maritime Commission funds, said:

"If it is true that the farm bill has been gutted, and indiscriminate cuts made in most farm agencies, I cannot support them."

On a more modest scale, the economy drive continued yesterday in the Senate. The Senate Appropriations Committee clipped $961,300 from the House approved $58,502,600 urgent deficiency bill.

The Senate committee will meet again this morning to vote on the Independent Offices measure. A committee move was afoot to restore some of the House prunings.

President Roosevelt, meanwhile, submitted new deficiency estimates to Congress aggregating $34,267,381, bringing to $92,000,000 the total deficiencies estimated since the budget was submitted. But in his budget message the President allowed himself a $100,000,000 leeway for deficiencies.

Included yesterday was a request for $400,000, to finance further expansion of trans-Atlantic mail business. The President said two companies beside Pan-American Airways have filed applications with the Civil Aeronautics Authority. He informed Congress that "the mail load has now become so heavy that with two trips a week applications for passenger transportation are being denied."

Cumberland Council Fiscal Policy Attacked

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 29 (AP).—Isaac Hirsch, "father" of Cumberland's commission government, today charged city council is making "a great mistake" in failing to deposit money in the sinking fund at times specified by law.

He said sinking fund trustees had told him they have about $100,000 in uninvested funds, and see no reason to add to it.

Hirsch insisted the money should be paid to meet bond issues and charged trustees are not doing their duty if the money is not invested.

City Auditor Arthur Gibson told Hirsch bond coupons have been paid, and the city is ready to pay money into the sinking fund any time the trustees can use sums advantageously.

Fire Delays Trains 30 Minutes to Hour

Eight Pennsylvania trains, five through and three local, were delayed between Philadelphia and Washington yesterday by a fire in Philadelphia. The trains reached Washington from 30 minutes to one hour late.

Electric power was cut off when a footbridge under the railway tracks caught fire at 10 a. m.

U.S. Cafe Contracts Are Held Illegal

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$200,000 office building at 1135 Twenty-first street northwest.

The report was also believed to hold invalid the contracts between the association and the various welfare groups in buildings where cafeterias operate, under which between $20,000 and $30,000 a year is paid to charitable purposes. The funds paid out were deemed by the report to be Government money, it was indicated.

Meantime another report on the association has been prepared by the FWA staff itself, and is expected to be placed in Carmody's hands in the near future. Although its findings that the association's assets are Government property is similar to the GAO report, its recommendations are said to favor continuation of Federal cafeteria operation by the association, but under Government supervision and control.

The association operates 18 cafeterias and 29 lunch stands, sandwich shops and newsstands, as well as several other concessions on Government property, such as the Hains Point Tea House and the Washington Tourist Camp. It supplies the noon-time meal to more than 30,000 Federal employes every day.

Virginia Repairs Icy Roads With Snow

Richmond, Va., Jan. 28 (AP).—The State Highway Department is trying out a method new to Virginia in treating roads made rough by ice and snow, J. J. Forrer, maintenance engineer, said today. The method is that of placing soft snow on top of roads heavy with rough ice. This has the effect of leveling and softening icy hummocks. Forrer said it had been used successfully in New York and New England States.

ABC Board Overrules License Revocation

The Commissioners yesterday reversed an order of the ABC Board revoking the class C liquor license of Aaron Horovitz, 510 Fourth street southwest, and substituted a five-day suspension.

Horovitz' license was ordered revoked after a colored man was fatally hurt in his establishment.

Producers' Minimum Milk Price Set

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abling them to purchase supplies of milk at prices considerably below the present retail level in the marketing area."

Robert E. Bondy, director of public welfare, said it still is uncertain whether the relief milk will be available to persons awaiting WPA work assignments and to those receiving surplus commodities but not other forms of direct relief. WPA workers are excluded, he said.

Only 3,000 Affected

Bondy estimates that only 3,000 persons on direct relief would be interested in obtaining the 5-cent milk as others are receiving old age and needy blind pensions. Addition of the other two classes of needy persons would increase the number of potential buyers by 5,000, he said.

The marketing order retains the present three-class price system observed by the Maryland-Virginia Milk Producers Association and the differential allowed for suburban areas which have the benefit of less rigid health department regulations.

The allowance for extra butterfat content above the required 3.5 per cent is decreased by the order from 6 to 5 cents per hundredweight on each tenth of 1 per cent added.

"The program is designed to help producers get a reasonable price for milk, to enable dealers to buy milk according to its quality and use on an equal cost basis," the Agriculture Department said, "and to protect dealers against unfair competition, as well as to safeguard the interests of consumers by maintaining orderly marketing conditions.

The Washington marketing area comprises the District and suburban Maryland, including Capitol Heights, Bladensburg, Hyattsville, College Park, Takoma Park, Silver Spring, Kensington, Chevy Chase and Bethesda. The Virginia suburban territory is not covered, as it is controlled by the Virginia State Milk Commission.

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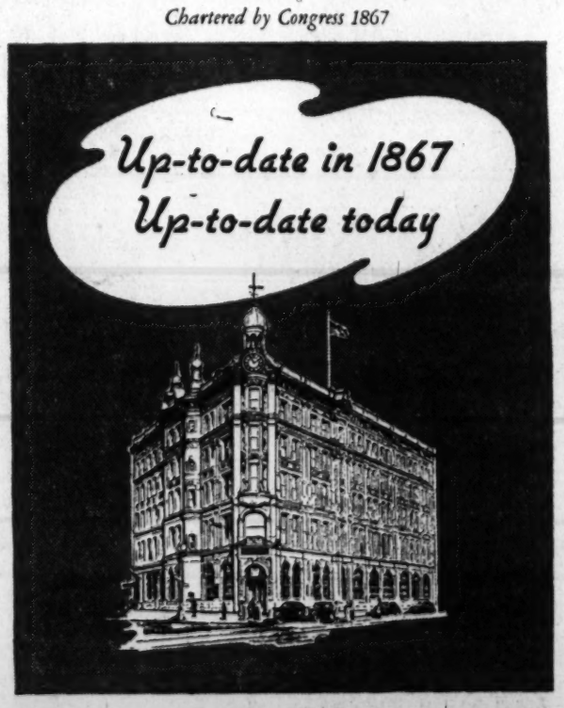

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Magyar Press Sees Rumania Near Division

Attacks Bitterly on Eve of Statement on Hungarian Position

By the Associated Press

Budapest, Jan. 29.—The Hungarian press bitterly attacked Rumania today as southeastern Europe waited for tomorrow's declaration of Hungary's Foreign Minister Count Csaky on his nation's attitude toward Rumania.

Dropping their self-imposed restraint of recent months, some commentators in Hungarian papers said Rumania was trembling over the possibility of being dismembered.

Hungary has made repeated demands for Transylvania, a district which went to Rumania upon collapse of the Austro-Hungarian empire after the World War. Circles close to Csaky said he would state Hungary's position in "no uncertain terms" when he appears before the parliamentary foreign affairs committee.

The Csaky pronouncement assumed greater importance in that it will come only four days before an important meeting of the Balkan entente—Rumania, Turkey, Greece and Yugoslavia—at which Rumania is hoping to gain guarantees of support against all potential enemies, including Hungary.

Allied Agents Arrive

[This apparent hardening of the Hungarian attitude toward Rumania was in conflict with reports earlier this month that Italy had succeeded in persuading the Budapest government to postpone its claims on Transylvania until after Europe's wars are over. Italy, and more recently the Vatican, have been seeking to smooth over Balkan "irredentism" for duration of war as a means of avoiding any possible excuse for extension of the war into southeastern Europe.

[The Balkan Entente was directed originally at Bulgaria, surrounded by the four entente members, all of which gained territory at Bulgaria's expense in the Balkan wars of 1912-13 or in the World War settlement.—Editor's note.]

In Bucharest, the struggle for Rumania's oil grew more intense with arrival by plane of 25 British and French agents and businessmen and a group of German negotiators by train.

These were added to the hundreds of Britons, French and Germans with whom Bucharest is swarming.

Most of the agents admit no official connection with their governments. Indeed, British officials in London denied knowledge of a delegation being sent to Bucharest. The negotiators, nevertheless, are active participants in the trade war.

Germany and the Allies have been engaged in a "tug-o-war" for several days since Rumania created an "oil dictatorship" under which the Allies fear that their companies in Rumania may be forced to furnish oil for Germany's military machine.

Refugees arriving in Bucharest from Russian Poland, including several Polish-Americans, have reported seeing German officers in the former Polish city of Lwow and German soldiers policing the railway linking Rumania and Germany via Russian Poland. Both Germany and Soviet Russia have insistently denied the presence of German troops in this region.

In the Rumanian-Hungarian newspaper debate on Magyar-Rumanian relations, which started last week, an Hungarian authority, Prof. Gyula Kornis, wrote that Rumania uses the Hungarian word for courage since that quality was not known to the Rumanians before they came into contact with the Magyars.

Papers Scold British

Bucharest newspapers countered that Hungary ceased to exist as an independent nation in 1526 and that not only did Transylvania join Rumania of its own will but the Rumanians saved Hungary by defeating the Red regime of Bela Kun in 1919.

Part of the Rumanian press today adopted an anti-Allied tone, accusing Britain of interfering with Rumania's internal affairs in an intolerable fashion in the oil battle.

The newspaper Curentul declared "Britain and France can buy as much oil as they want from Rumania, but have no right to oppose others getting their share."

Foreign-owned oil companies were accused of reducing production and British agents of leasing Danube River barges solely to prevent oil from reaching Germany.

A highly-placed informant reported Britain and France have given Rumania to understand they may break off economic relations with this country unless the question of oil for Germany is settled to their satisfaction.

British Threat Reported

On the other hand, Germany is said to have warned that she will be forced to take "other measures," if she doesn't get large quantities of Rumanian oil. To underline this need, it is reported, Germany told Bucharest oil is a matter of life or death for the Reich.

There are rumors the British and French-controlled oil companies in Rumania are considering a campaign of passive resistance in their plants against any Rumanian attempts to require shipment of their product to Germany.

Reliable quarters in London said Britain was prepared to impose restrictions on her trade with Rumania if the new Rumanian oil control interferes with the normal flow of oil to Britain and France for the benefit of Germany.

Britain is particularly anxious that British and French oil companies in Rumania not be forced to supply oil for Germany.

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Gen. Bisbee, 100, Oldest Army Officer, Honored

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

The U. S. Army paid tribute yesterday to its oldest officer, Gen. William H. Bisbee, retired, of Brookline, Mass. The Order of the Purple Heart was bestowed. It was Gen. Bisbee's 100th birthday, and his great-grand niece, Janet Gardner (left), 6, and a great-granddaughter, Barbara Anne Murphy, 2, of Baltimore, helped the venerable veteran cut his birthday cake

Daladier Warns French of 'Total Warfare,' Asks Sacrifices

By P. J. Philip

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Paris, Jan. 29.—Abandoning his customary restraint in speaking of the enemy, Premier Daladier tonight broadcast to his people a scorching denunciation of Nazi aims, coupled with a word of warning concerning "the total war which cannot be long in breaking."

Directing his message to those behind the lines, Daladier appealed for civilian acceptance of the hardships and sacrifices of war, holding up the soldiers as an example. He pleaded for increased armament production, discipline and promised merciless action against Nazi and Communist propagandists.

[Before he spoke a semiofficial statement confirmed that the Allies had assembled an adequate army in the Near East against the possibility of war spreading in the Balkans, the Associated Press reported.

[This statement did not give figures, but said the British and French "will have in the Near East at the necessary moment sufficient men to face any eventuality." It labeled as "manifestly exaggerations" Russian guesses that 400,000 men were massed in Syria under Gen. Maxime Weyand, the French generalissimo of Allied forces in the Near East.

[The night Allied communique said aviation and artillery "showed some activity" on the Western Front. Earlier, rifle fire was reported as "quite heavy" between the Maginot and Siegfried lines in the Rhine region, where German patrol action increased.—Editor's note.]

"It would be vain and even criminal to underestimate Germany's material power," Daladier said. "... We will win, but we must carry off also a victory far exceeding an armed victory."

"At the end of five months of war," he said, "one thing has become more and more clear. It is that Germany seeks to establish a domination over the world completely different from any known in history. The domination at which the Nazis aim is not limited to the displacement of the balance of power and the imposition of the supremacy of one nation. It seeks the systematic and total destruction of the conquered.

"Adolf Hitler does not treat with nations which he has subdued. He destroys them. He takes from them their whole political and economic existence and seeks even to deprive them of their history and their culture. He wishes to consider them only as vital space, a vacant territory over which he has every right.

"Under this domination in thousands of towns and villages in Europe there are millions of human beings now living in misery which some months ago they could never have imagined. Austria, Bohemia, Slovakia and Poland are only lands of despair. Their whole peoples have been deprived of means for moral and material happiness."

The premier then drew an opposing picture of the serenity of the French people:

"This great fear which has spread across Europe, halts at our frontiers before barbed wire and blockhouses, where our young men watch and fight."

Those behind the lines were right, the premier said, to trust in the future but their confidence must not lead them into believing and behaving as if they did not need to worry.

U. S. Aids Japan Liberally by Gold Purchase

Sum Dwarfs Help to China; Morgenthau Doubts Policy Change

By Felix Cotten.

Post Staff Writer

Japan, in obtaining war materials to carry out her conquest of China, is still receiving liberal aid from the Treasury's nondiscriminatory gold buying policy, it was disclosed yesterday.

Gold imports from Japan in two weeks of January, according to Commerce Department figures, totaled $37,679,371. The metal is translated into dollar bank balances which are used to pay for materials bought in this country.

Expiration last week of the Japanese-American commercial treaty does not alter Japan's ability to obtain essential American goods.

Gold imported from Japan was valued at $32,217,754 in the week ended January 10 and $5,461,617 in the week ended January 17, the Commerce Department reported.

This increased imports from Japan, since early 1937, when that country started to ship large quantities of gold to this country, to $618,494,250.

These gold purchases admittedly have been a tremendous factor in the Chinese conquest. Aid extended to China, through silver purchases and the Export-Import Bank's $25,000,000 loan, has been small by comparison.

Treasury officials point out, however, that on the gold-buying policy depends the sensitive mechanism of exchange rates. A change in the policy, they fear, would have violent repercussions on this country's foreign trade.

Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau indicated yesterday that he intended to continue the gold-buying policy, regardless of the aid which certain aggressor nations may derive.

Asked at his press conference whether the Treasury might attempt to discriminate against some gold sources in the future, he replied:

"I doubt it."

He conceded, however, that he had the power to discriminate—or at least to try to follow a discriminatory policy. Such a step, it was pointed out, would involve drastic alteration of the Administration's monetary policy, and would have incidental consequences which probably would be far-reaching.

Senator Townsend, Delaware Republican, recently charged that any aid which might be given Finland by this country would be small compared to the aid extended to Russia through the gold-buying policy. He said Russia produced $175,000,000 of gold annually, which the Treasury bought.

Morgenthau, in reply, said it was "ridiculous" to assume that the Treasury was buying the entire Russion gold output. He has been trying for years, he declared, to find out what the Russian production was. Perhaps Townsend, in quoting the $175,000,000 figure, has been successful where he has failed, he remarked.

President Roosevelt discussed with Congressional leaders yesterday what disposition should be made of the $234,000 debt payment made by Finland on December 15 and placed in a separate fund in the Treasury to await possible action by Congress for its use for the benefit of Finland.

What conclusions, if any, were reached was not indicated. Majority Leader Barkley and others, including Vice President Garner, Speaker Bankhead and House Majority Leader Ryaburn, participated.

Stark Urges Navy's 5-Year Expansion Program in Vain

By John G. Norris

Post Staff Writer

The House Naval Committee yesterday heard Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, urge adoption of the Navy's original five-year, $1,300,000,000 fleet-expansion program for its "deterrent effect" on world aggression, but then proceeded with plans to cut it in half.

Stark was recalled for testimony on a revised bill to authorize only the first two years of the original five-year expansion plan at this time. It would cut the number of combatant ships from 77 to 21, but leave aircraft and auxiliary ship construction unchanged, slashing the cost to about $650,000,000.

"I should like the original bill to become law," he said, "I realize that if the tonnage we asked for is greatly reduced, we still would have the opportunity to appear before this committee and ask for additional ships next year or the year after.

"However, if the tonnage originally asked be placed in the statutes, we could plan better over the years immediately ahead, with resultant speed, economy and better work load conditions, which would be generally beneficial from all standpoints."

Chairman Vinson, however, declared he felt "the sensible thing to do" was to cut the program to a 10 per cent increase in combatant ships and consider the remainder of the program next year or the year following.

"If world conditions are like they are today," he added, "the committee can go along and authorize the other 15 per cent then."

Vinson and other members emphasized that there is no cut in actual building contemplated, as all vessels that can be laid down in the next two years are provided in the revised bill. Including bill. Including replacements and ships already authorized, a total of 88 combatant vessels would be laid down in the two-year period.

Admiral Robinson predicted the Navy would adopt larger submarine chasers as result of a $15,000,000 experimental program now under way to develop small craft for coastal defense against submarine and surface ship attack.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

The Year's Gayest Whirl Begins This Morning!

Gala Birthday Events Go 'Round the Clock; 'British Intelligence' Opens at Metropolitan; This, That and the Other About the Theater

OF COURSE, it only happens once a year and is for a magnificent cause, but those who think that the toll is not great upon the nervous and physical energy of the visiting stars, in Washington to participate in the President's birthday celebrations, should contemplate the schedule of "working hours" they will be called upon to observe today. In many instances, it probably will be stretched completely around the clock.

BELL

In addition to the White House functions at which they will be guests, and those at which Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen, general chairman, will be host, the imposing list of stars who have responded to the appeal to swell the funds for the fight against infantile paralysis will also be guests of honor at the official banquet in the Willard Hotel tonight and then will be called upon to "tour" the Presidential balls being held in six downtown hotels, the midnight shows at the Earle and Capitol Theaters and the Gold Plate Breakfast at the Carlton, beginning at approximately 2:30 a. m., and continuing until the celebrants begin to drop in their tracks from sheer exhaustion.

It is a mighty array of stellar names that has been assembled for this year's gala goings-on, including, as it does, Olivia de Havilland, Dorothy Lamour, Elsa Lanchester (Mrs. Charles Laughton), Mary Howard, Mickey Rooney, Brenda Joyce, Gloria Jean, Edward G. Robinson, Ona Munson, Pat O'Brien, James Cagney, Tyrone Power, Gene Autry, William Boyd and Grace Bradley (Mrs. Boyd), Kay Kyser, Ginny Simms and Walter O'Keefe, plus the stage and screen luminaries playing local engagements in current attractions.

If that roster doesn't pack the six hotels, the six hotels probably never will be packed.

Among the last of the celebrities to arrive, but still here in ample time for all of the main events, were James Cagney, Pat O'Brien, Edward G. Robinson and Ona Munson, who glided into Union Station last night at 8:05 on the Congressional. So it looks pretty definitely as if the gang's all here!

Lest we forget, those who arrive at Loew's Palace Theater early for the morning and afternoon showings of "Gone With the Wind"—when seats are not reserved—are not called upon to sit in a dimly lighted house with nothing to divert them. The matutinal and matinee screenings of the 3-hour-and-47-minute feature are preceded by a long and diversified program of short subjects, ranging from an expanded newsreel to Columbia's unprecedented film story of Uncle Sam's currency, both real and counterfeit. As exciting as a good detective story, this unique subject takes its camera where no camera ever before has been allowed.

Edward Arnold, former member of the National Theater Players and now one of the top-ranking stars of the cinema, has gone and written himself a book—with a collaborator gazing over his shoulder. It is called "Alonzo Goes to Hollywood" and my copy came through the mails a few days ago—for which I return thanks wherever due. So far, I have read only enough to learn that Ed played Alonzo at the age of 10 and that that is the young fellow who has wound up so handsomely in the film capital. More later, after I have got beyond that point in the autobiography.

It is expected by the Messrs. Aldrich and Myers, the producers, that by the time the play opens on Wednesday night at the Hudson Theater, in New York, the advance sale for John Barrymore's Broadway engagement in "My Dear Children" will have exceeded $50,000. The circusy trimmings lent the comedy by the clowning of its star apparently have set Manhattan by the ears. This will give the youthful Aldrich and Myers two simultaneous hits in New York, "Margin for Error" being the other one. Otto L. Preminger, who plays the Nazi consul in the Clare Boothe piece, also staged "My Dear Children."

"British Intelligence," a swiftly paced melodrama of wartime espionage in Europe, supplants "Brother Rat and a Baby" on the screen at the Metropolitan Theater this morning. Boris Karloff and Margaret Lindsay are the principal players, supported by Maris Wrixon, Bruce Lester, Leonard Mudie, Holmes Herbert, Lester Matthews, Austin Fairman, Clarence Derwent and Stuart Holmes. The subject matter of the play would seem to be of peculiar timeliness.

Barclay S. Leathem, professor of the theater at Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, will arrive in Washington tomorrow, to confer with the Civic, Roadside and other local theater groups, on a grant from the Rockefeller Foundation. Besides directing work in the theater at Reserve, Mr. Leathem is secretary of the National Theater Conference, which, subsidized by the Rockefeller Foundation, has its headquarters at Western Reserve, where there is a unique connection between the theater department and the Cleveland Playhouse.

"Outward Bound," which last year presented the "command performance" for the President's birthday celebration and later was presented for an eminently successful week at the National Theater, will be presented tonight, tomorrow and Thursday nights in St. Paul's auditorium, 1421 V street, by the Blackfriars Guild. The play is under the direction of Mary Olive O'Connell.

On Saturday night of this week, the Senior Inter-Club Council of the Jewish Community Center once again will bring back some of that spirit of 1909 which most of those planning the event know only from hearsay. Miriam Glasser, chairman of the "Flicker Frolic Committee," announces that among films to be shown will be "Millie, the Arcadian Maid," a D. W. Griffith production of 1909, with Mary Pickford and Lionel Barrymore; William S. Hart's "Every Inch a Man," 1912, and Charlie Chaplin's "The Adventurer," 1915.

Glancing-at-Weather-Forecast Note

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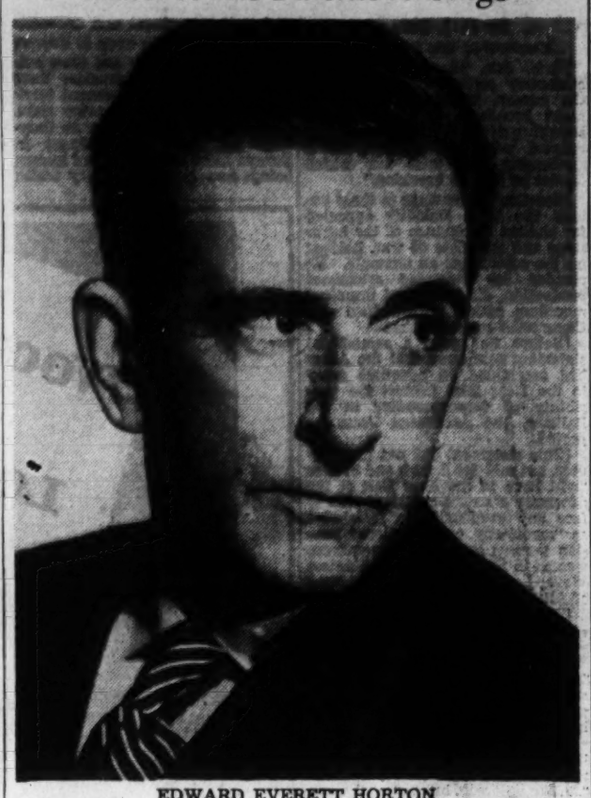

EDWARD EVERETT HORTON,
whose comic antics have enlivened many a motion picture, returns to his former medium, the stage, at the National Theater this week in Benn W. Levy's comedy, "Springtime for Henry," which opened on E street last night

The New Yorker

By Leonard Lyons

GEORGE JESSEL walked with a friend down Broadway and lamented the changing scene. As they were nearing Loew's State Theater—where vaudeville's last vestige survives—Jessel's friend sighed: "I have a feeling, somehow, that soon vaudeville will be gone here, too" . . . Without a word of farewell, George left him, walked through the State's backstage door and, never pausing, continued until he reached the stage . . . "I beg your pardon," he apologized to Joe Lewis, who was performing—then turned to the audience and said: "I wanted to step foot on this stage just once more before Billy Rose fills this place with water" . . . And then he left."

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at the wreathlaying ceremonies in front of the Father Duffy monument, the stars of "The Fighting 69th" waited for the events to begin . . . James Cagney, Jeffrey Lynn and Pat O'Brien stood at attention—but Lynn's eyes moved across Duffy Square to the entrance of the Newsreel Theater—and his face settled into a strange expression . . . "Anything wrong, kid?" O'Brien asked him . . . "No," said Lynn. "I'm just looking at the Newsreel Theater across the street. I used to be the doorman there."

JOHN L. LEWIS and Bill Hutcheson, chairman of the Republican Labor Committee, will be attacked by David Dubinsky, head of the powerful I. L. G. W. U., in News Week. Concerning their anti-New Deal statesments, Dubinsky will describe them as "ungrateful" . . . Alfred Corning Clark, of the Singer Sewing Machine family, has completed his arrangements to produce a movie about Cooperstown, N. Y. . . . Howard Hughes already is casting, in New York, for a film in which Katharine Hepburn will star. Miss Hepburn is helping him find the supporting players . . . Merwin K. Hart's reply to Representative Hook—who linked Martin Dies with a Christian Front meeting sponsored by Hart—will be a petition to Dies to investigate Fascist as well as Red organizations.

NORMAN ROCKWELL, the artist, told this story to Mort Lewis, the script writer: When he went to Hollywood Mr. Rockwell was introduced to Josef von Sternberg, who expressed great pleasure at this meeting . . . "You are my favorite artist, and Miss Dietrich's, too," the director beamed. "It's wonderful meeting you. Oh, boy, wait till I tell Marlene—I've met Rockwell Kent."

THE SMALL BUSINESS MEN of New York will repeat their march-to-the-Capitol this year, on February 1, to confer with the officials . . . The March of Time editors are so enthused about their forthcoming reel, "The Ramparts We Watch," that they're anxious to revise their distribution contracts. They'd like to road-show it . . . The Heywood Broun Memorial meeting will be held at Manhattan Center February 12. Tickets are free.

ERNEST LUBITSCH is relating of the desire of the Soviet literati to believe that Alexander Sergeievitch Pushkin—who died more than 100 years ago—is the favorite author of the American people . . . When Lubitsch arrived in Moscow the reporters asked him to name his favorite Russian author . . . "Well, I don't remember his name," Lubitsch confessed. "I met him many years ago. He was a tall, dark man—a gypsy, as I remember, and . . . "The reporters, with pencils poised, prompted: "Pushkin, eh?"

JOHN MASON BROWN, the drama critic and theater lecturer, has a miniature "Hamlet" set in his home. Brown has shown this set daily to his infant son, Preston, and taught the baby to utter its first word—"Hamlet" . . . Richard Rogers, the lyricist, who won Dwight Wiman's title contest by entering it as a Hindu named Drahcir Sregor—the New York Times published it, never realizing that it was his name spelled backwards—received six fan letters, from Hindus who wrote each word backwards . . . Aldous Huxley rented a home in Hollywood because it had a slanted garret window through which his head could be projected while he typed his manuscript. "I got this place," he announced, "because I could write in my room and be in the garden at the same time."

JACK WARNER, the movie producer, was at La Conga and when he left, at 4 a. m., he noticed two pugnacious men in the lobby. Warner recited: "He who fights and runs away lives to fight another day" . . . "But, Mr. Warner," he was reminded, "what kind of talk is that—from the producer of 'The Fighting 69th?'" . . . "I," he exclaimed, "was with the 57th."

ONE OF THE BAND leaders who will play at the President's Birthday Ball in Washington submitted a contract which included an unusual clause. It provided that he is to ride in the first car, with Eleanor Roosevelt, and be at her side at all receptions. It was rejected . . . Two members of the cast of "Folies Bergere" received orders to hand in their notices and return to France on the first boat out . . . A Delaware paper, in announcing "Socialite" sponsorship of the Curtis String Quartette recital in Wilmington, made one typographical error, and so the item read: "Among the patrons and patronesses are Mrs. Edward Bok, Mr. and Mrs. Lammont duPont Copeland, Mrs. Irene duPont and other prominent socialists."

Edward Everett Horton Offers Suave Study in Levy Comedy

By Nelson B. Bell

"SPRINGTIME FOR HENRY." Lawrence Rivers Inc., presents the comedy in three acts by Benn W. Levy with setting by Watson Barratt. At the National Theater.

—THE CAST—

Mr. Dewlip ....Edward Everett Horton
Mr. Jelliwell ....Gordon Richards
Mrs. Jelliwell ....Barbara Brown
Miss Smith ....Marjorie Lord
A Secretary ....Sally McMorrow

"Springtime for Henry," which brings the facile Mr. Edward Everett Horton to the stage of the National Theater this week, on a busman's holiday from Hollywood, is a cogent conversation piece that initiates its mildly provocative and rather more than mildly unconventional proceedings in the month of April and so brings to mind that "In the spring the young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love." That is what Henry Dewlip's fancy did.

Upon that theme, Benn W. Levy, the English author, has fashioned a three-act comedy of the intensely intimate sort that is more Gallic than British in its saucy implications. It is a play that makes up rather handsomely in pert and pithy dialogue for its conspicuous lack of physical movement. It is, in final contemplation, a placid and feathery bit of dramaturgy that progresses from an uninspired first act to a second of sprightlier content and a third that accomplishes an adroit and surprising contravention of all accepted tenets as to the relation of the sexes and the theoretical sanctity of the marriage vows. Only occasionally gay, the three acts always are literate, closely knit and productive of that ingratiating type of comic contretemps that are best displayed in a theater of less expansive dimensions than the National.

Only Five Characters Needed

Only five characters are necessary to the story of a young industrialist, philandering with his best friend's wife and so inveigled into awarding the husband a contract for a new carburetor—inferior to his own—for use in the motor cars which he manufactures. Then into his employ comes Miss Smith, hot on the heels of the earlier secretary who vanishes from the scene at the very opening of Act 1, a short step ahead of the barrage of important files her erstwhile boss has hurled at her.

The new emanuensis is a young woman whose apparently Puritanical instincts bring about a complete reformation in Mr. Dewlip. He abjures the luxury of gambling, the comforting lure of the whisky bottle and the all-night roistering that has made up his life and, more or less, unmade his business. When Miss Smith, in an uncautious moment, reveals that she is the mother of a small son, whose father she shot dead when he insisted upon bringing two mistresses, instead of only one, home to tea, Henry's love-bubble bursts with a bang that must have been heard all over London. That was the night, too, when his mother was lodged in jail because she had unwittingly rented a former gambling house and had been caught entertaining some of her son's friends, while his own menage was undergoing its moral fumigation.

When all of these sources of wide misunderstanding and mistrust among Henry, Miss Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Jelliwell are composed in the final scenes of the play, the third act takes on much the complexion of that delightfully bizarre, ridiculous and risque last act of Robert E. Sherwood's "Reunion in Vienna," when husband and lover argued at some length as to which was entitled to the favor of an honestly married woman, torn between two emotions, which it might or might not be possible to harmonize with the canons of polite society.

Star Perfect in Part

To this quietly genial study of life's emotional fippancies, Mr. Horton brings a remarkable gift of smooth and pliant comedy. Playing with utmost repression—perhaps too much at times, in the ears, if not the eyes, of those occupying the more remote areas of the capacious E street playhouse—he, nevertheless, encompasses the full measure of his role's possibilities in the eloquent nuances he brings to his lines and restrained action. It would be difficult to summon to mind a more perfect embodiment of a distracted and confused young man, ostensibly in love, but in fact only deeply puzzled. His role is akin to those in which he has acquired so large a following on the screen, but executed with infinitely more finesse and delicacy.

The supporting cast is one of splendid selection. Marjorie Lord, the enigmatic Miss Smith, is as brunettely beautiful and capable as Barbara Brown proves to be in the less ingenuous character of Mrs. Jelliwell, whose husband is portrayed with fine British humor by Gordon Richards. Sally McMorrow, as the evanescent secretary of the first act, is but a fleeting glimpse of flying heels.

The single setting by Watson Barratt provides a warm and helpful background for a cozy little trifle that was accorded six curtain calls last night by an audience that responded generously to its steadily compounded attack upon the risibilities.

In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, Jan. 29.

When I bumped into Jimmy Gleason, who's been hibernating in his attic den writing a play for the New York stage, I asked what it was about. He said, "Hedda, you won't believe it, but the locale is the Knock me al-down Mountains." I didn't believe it till he explained that the Knockmealdown Range is in Tipperary County, Ireland, and it's there that a young Jewess goes when she is deported from America for trumped up political reasons. What a background—a clan of Irish Jews; there really are such people. "But," said Jimmy, "don't think I'm trying to give out with any terrific message. I call the play 'Without Trumpets.' And I'm not preaching anything except tolerence which Christ taught." Well, we could use plenty of that today. . . .

HOPPER

Norvell, that astrologer who set Hollywood on its ear by predicting half a dozen big-time marital breakups this year, dined at Publisher George Putnam's when a 10-year-old, Gay Palmer, queried Norvell about a certain birth date, plying him with scores of questions. Norvell obliged, prophesying early marriage, financial success, and so on. Until her father broke it up with, "I hate to tell you this, Norvell, but you are casting the horoscope of a pet cat." Which reminds me that J. P. Morgan, sr., consulted astrologers regularly—went so far as to have the signs of the Zodiac on the floor of the counting house. Same goes for some of our biggest producers and stars. In fact, Jean Arthur supposedly turned down "My Girl Friday" on such advice, then took to her bed when it turned out a smash hit for Roz Russell.

Charles Trowbridge, character actor, says he owns his career in pictures to fire. First, when he was a boy in Mexico (his father was U. S. consul) their home was struck by lighting. Later in the Hawaiian Islands, where his father had a coffee plantation, he wanted to be an actor, but papa insisted coffee business was better. Came a volcanic eruption and the hot molten lava burned the trees and they came to California. In San Francisco the earthquake and another fire. Trowbridge offered his services helped put on entertainment for the populace—and believe it or not he's been an actor ever since. . . .

Georgie Stone, who kept "poisoning" hal the cast in the "Housekeeper's Daughter" with doctored coffee, can't go to bed until he's had half a dozen cups of coffee . . . Bert Lytell isn't sentimental about his birthplace. Neither would you be if it became a colored undertaking establishment . . . Bob Hope claims one Bing Crosby's sons wants to play a fiddle. Says Heifitz can't go on forever.

Which reminds me of Ed Wynn's old invention. He had a formula to stop hair from falling out but your teeth blackened. A second formula would whiten your teeth but give you a heart attack. A third formula cured your heart attack but then your hair would begin to fall out again.

Next to Joan Crawford, Bette Davis is the most nervous actress in Hollywood.

Gayety

There is evident a definite improvement in the caliber of burlesque in "Red Hot and Beautiful" at the Gayety this week. Not only is the comedy better and the girls prettier, but the show as a whole is good and fast-moving entertainment.

Headlining this week's production is Rose LaRose, a dark-eyed charmer who possesses a pleasing voice and executes novel and sensational dance specialties. Rose also exercises extremely good taste in her selection of wardrobe.

"Slats" Taylor and Tiney Fuller are featured on the comedy side and their merry noments are many and mirthful. Taylor, a slim youth, offers lots in the way of amusing and original wit, while "Two-Ton" Fuller continues to be one of the most improved funsters on the circuit. Irving Karo, probably the best male singer in burlesque today, offers several well-rendered songs, among them "My Prayer" and the lovely "Roses of Picardy."

One of the outstanding features of the attraction is petite Alva Oakley. Making her initial appearance here, Miss Oakley presents several excellent and difficult dance routines.

Flashy Revue Clicks Off Hit At the Howard

With the Sunset Royal Orchestra, Jackie Mabely and a wealth of big-time sepia acts, the Howard Theater this week uncorks a colorful and flashy footlight revue. A well-produced combination of syncopation, comedy and fast-steppers, this stage offering makes a strong bid as one of the T street showshop's best new-season variety bills.

Long a local favorite comedienne, Jackie Mabely need only stride from the wings to garner her laughs, and her well-turned gags, though spicy, win applause that rates her the show's hit. However, in the running for top honors the Sunset Royal music makers, garbing popular numbers with new and tricky arrangements, click solidly with "Ko-Ko-Mo Blues," "Honeysuckle Rose" and other tunes. Their songstress, a diminutive personality, pleases nicely, while Genevieve Glover, one of the few tan female baton swingers, is responsible for a major assist in the song vending.

Other acts that make their mark are the sophisticated dance team of Earle and Frances; Jelli Smith, a local barytone, whose "Lonesome Road" is famous; Deanie Larry, a sunny soubrette and pep aplenty; Ralph Brown, rapid-fire tapster; the Three MacGhandis, a trio bedecked in Turkish costumes who laid out some hot Harlem hoofing, and John Mason and Johnnie Vigal, comedians.

Trans-Lux

The Nation-wide cold wave that has caused Old Man Winter to place his icy fingers across the otherwise sunny South, gave the news cameramen plenty to film for the current show at the Trans-Lux Theater, as such cities as Atlanta and Memphis get their first "nor'easter" in a generation. There is plenty of footage given over to Washington scenes. But Florida escapes and the audience finds breath-taking scenes of palm trees and hot sun-baked beaches at Miami.

The latest March of Time, "Crisis in the Pacific," clearly depicts the new headache facing the United States in the Far East. In the European war arena there is a variety of pictures to please all. Britain is shown tightening her contraband control, as King George reviews air raid drills, including, of all things, British cavalry in training. Queen Elizabeth inspects women war workers making service uniforms, as in France sons of army officers go to school so that they also may serve in days to come. Paderewski, world famous pianist and first president of the Polish republic, returns to the service of his country as president of the Exiled Polish Assembly in Paris.

In jittery Holland, Prince Bernhard reviews the Dutch troops, as Sweden's prince arrives in the United States aboard the British-delayed liner Manhattan. Mrs. Roosevelt attends the Lincoln movie premiere here in Washington, and spring fashions are shown for milady.

Sports, in the news, include: a baseball survey for the 1940 season; dog races in Florida; a dazzling ice ballet.

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CALVERT 2324 Wis. Ave. N.W. WO. 2345 Mat. 1 P. M. Parking Space Available to Patrons. Priscilla Lane-Rosemary Lane-Lola Lane-Gale Page in "Four Wives." At 1:25, 3:30, 5:35, 7:35, 9:40.

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PENN 630 Pa. Ave. S. E. LI. 2179. Mat. 1 P. M. Priscilla Lane-Rosemary Lane-Lola Lane-Gale Page in "Four Wives." At 1:25, 3:25, 5:25, 7:30, 9:30.

SHERIDAN Ga. Ave. & Sheridan RA. 2400 Mat. 1 P.M. Greta Garbo-Melvyn Douglas in "Ninotchka." At 1, 3:10, 5:15, 7:25, 9:30. Also Short Subject.

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UPTOWN Conn. Ave. & Newark WO. 8400 Mat. 1 P.M. Parking Space Available to Patrons. Greta Garbo-Melvyn Douglas in "Ninotchka." At 1, 3:10, 5:15, 7:25, 9:40. Also Information Please, No. 2.

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APOLLO 624 H St. N.E. LI. 2275. Loretta Young, David Niven in "Eternally Yours." At 6, 7:35, 10.

AVALON 3612 Conn. Ave. N.W. WO. 2600. Loretta Young, David Niven in "Eternally Yours." At 6, 7:50, 9:45.

AVE. GRAND 648 Pa. Ave. S.E. LI. 2400. Melvyn Douglas, Joan Blondell in "The Amazing Mr. Williams." At 6:15, 8, 9:50. Short Subject.

COLONY 4933 Ga. Ave. N.W. GE. 4500. Claudette Colbert-Henry Fonda in "Drums Along the Mohawk." At 6, 7:50, 9:45. Also Short Subject.

HOME 1230 G St. N.E. AT. 5188. Paul Muni in "We Are Not Alone." At 7, 9:25. Also Short Subject.

SAVOY 2030 14th St. N.W. COl. 4943. Lloyd Nolan in "The Man Who Wouldn't Talk." At 6:30, 8:05, 9:45.

SECO 8244 Ga. Ave., Silver Spring SH. 2340 Parking Space. Robert Donat, Greer Garson in "Goodbye, Mr. Chips." At 6:50, 9:25.

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Louella O. Parsons

Close-Ups and Long-Shots Of the Motion Picture Scene

Hollywood, Jan. 29 (INS).—Looks as if Ronald Colman has just been waiting for Frank Capra to begin work, for he has turned down movie offers galore. Ronnie, who is very choosey, is now negotiating with Frank to star in "The Life and Death of John Doe." This is his second for Capra. His first was the never-to-be-forgotten "Lost Horizon." The Capra company, bag and baggage, moves into Warner's this week and will occupy the former Cosmopolitan offices.

LOUELLA PARSONS

When MGM loaned their fair-haired boy, Jimmy Stewart, to Universal for "Destry Rides Again," they made a hoss-swapping deal for the rights to "Show Boat." Edna Ferber's story, with Jerome Kern's undying musical score, has been filmed twice before—first with Laura La Plant and John Boles, and later with Irene Dunne and Allan Jones. Now MGM will bring it to us again with Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy as the singing sweethearts and Frank Morgan as "Captain Andy," the role Charlie Winninger made famous.

Warner Baxter is one of the wise actors. He saved his pennies and if he wants to retire he can do so without fear of the prowling wolf. He is making "Earthbound," his last picture at Twentieth Century-Fox, and when he finishes that he will have said good-by to the studio at which he has been a star for 11 years. Warner has been on the top in pictures longer than any other star, but I have an idea that he will not remain idle, even though he says au revoir to Twentieth Century-Fox. He has an offer to go on the stage and it wouldn't surprise me in the least if the urge to put on grease paint should prove stronger than the desire to retire.

Chatter in Hollywood: The unpredictable Frances Farmer, who hated Hollywood, even when it longed to help her, is no longer being seen with Clifford Odets. Their friendship is a thing of the past and although Frances has been keeping dates with her estranged husband, Leif Erickson, those close to her believe there will be no reconciliation. She is really carrying the torch for Odets. Meanwhile Mrs. Odets, better known as Luise Rainer, has changed her mind again about doing a movie, she is eager to get the rights to "Romance," the Edward Sheldon play which starred Doris Keane for so many years, and bring it to Broadway.

A line or two: Forest Tucker, who gets his best break in "The Westerner" is just waiting to find out if his career is really launched before he asks Helen Parrish to marry him . . . Although Fanny Brice signed a contract to play the dictator's wife in the Chaplin picture, the part has been cut down so much she won't do it . . . Saw Kay Francis at dinner and she was still excited and so pleased because her old gang at Warners sent her flowers on her birthday . . . Barbara O'Neill gets the part of the countess in "All This and Heaven Too," with Charles Boyer and Bette Davis. She was good in "Gone With the Wind" although her role was not as important as it was in the book . . . Dorothy Lamour, who was one of the late Dorothy Dell's closest friends, is moving heaven and earth in New York to get a movie break for her sister, Helen Dell. She's appearing in "Yokel Boy" and La Lamour thinks she is a screen bet.

Snapshots of Hollywood collected at random: Eddie Albert was carrying the torch for Jane Bryan when he disappeared, the first news of which appeared in this column. He telephoned he'll be back in a few days; Jane Wyman's wedding gift from Ronald Reagan was an amethyst bracelet to match her engagement ring and brooch which he gave her for Christmas; Betty Grable and Artie Shaw are on the verge of saying farewell; Jimmy Stewart will be called on the carpet to find out why he flew East in such dangerous weather. His plane grounded and the studio is loking over his contract to see if there is anything in it prohibiting him to fly without permission.

Meliza Korjus leaves in March on a concert tour and if she is as popular as Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy it will be a great move; Mickey Rooney left San Francisco for Washington for the President's Ball. He'll soon be the most traveled young man in Hollywood; Eddie Loew heads for New York on a personal appearance tour; Jon Hall surprised Frances Langford with a new gray fur coat; John Carroll and Steffi Duna, formerly Mr. and Mrs., both working on the MGM lot, lunching together in the commissary; Ann Sothern is home from the hospital but is ordered to bed for three more weeks.

That's all for today. See you tomorrow!

Soviet Press Warns Norway To Keep Peace

Asserts Finns Want To Take Leningrad, Restore Romanoffs

By the Associated Press

Moscow, Jan. 29.—A warning to Norway that "only a firm rebuff to foreign incendiaries of war and internal reactionaries" would guarantee Norwegian peace and neutrality was given today by the Soviet newspaper Red Fleet.

Discussing an alleged "anti-Soviet campaign" in Norway and Sweden, the newspaper accused capitalist reactionaries with British and French aid of trying to bring the two Scandinavian nations into war on the side of the Finns.

Russians received a scant official report today of war activity and an unofficial Russian allegation that the Finnish command contemplates conquest of Leningrad and restoration of the Romanoffs.

Fear Romanoffs

The Leningrad headquarters communique on the war with Finland said:

"Jan. 25.—Nothing of importance took place on the front."

Field Marshal Baron Mannerheim, commander in chief of the Finnish army, was accused by the Newspaper Trud of believing his "historical mission is the conquest of Leningrad and restoration of the Romanoff dynasty."

Trud, organ of Soviet trade unions, added that the Finns "dream of annexing northern Norway and northern Sweden." It charged that the Finnish government oppressed minorities, especially Lapps and Swedes.

Moscow Warns Italy

Moscow, Jan. 29 (U.P.).—The Soviet press warned Italy today against joining the Anglo-French bloc and predicted that if she breaks her alliance with Germany her richest provinces will be destroyed.

Caustic articles appeared in Pravda, official organ of the Communist Party, and Trud, organ of the Communist trade unions.

"Should Italy seek new adventure," said Trud, "its brave army doubtless will achieve new running records excelling Caporetto (World War defeat.)

"Italy will be turned into a battlefield while the Italian army, which isn't first class, will become the fifth wheel of the Anglo-French chariot. Italy's richest provinces will be destroyed."

Trud reminded Italy of her none-too-generous treatment at Versailles and predicted that this time the Allies are not ready to give her "even crumbs."

Pravda warned the Italian volunteers in Finland that the "lessons" of Caporetto can be repeated in the little nation that is at war with Russia.

First Husband Checked Up On Fourth for Merry Fahrney

Peeked in Window 'Out of Friendship,' Witness Declares

New York, Jan. 29.—How "Madcap" Merry Fahrney took her first husband along to check up on the behavior of her fourth was told today in Supreme Court where the comely blonde heiress is seeking a divorce from Count Cassini.

Merry, who inherited a Chicago patent medicine fortune, once said: "I don't even know what medicine it was. I just know my grandfather made lots and lots of money with it."

She accuses Count Cassini, her second titled husband, of infidelity. An automobile salesman who said he was helping her "purely out of friendship," told of peering through a hotel room window at 3:30 a. m. one day last year with her and her first husband, Hugh Parker Pickering.

Anisette and Vodka

From the window, said the witness, Robert S. Boyland, they could see into the bedroom of the suite Merry had rented for the count at the count's request, because he did not like to live in her 12-room apartment on Fifth avenue.

What they saw led Merry to say, "This is enough for me;" for there were the count and a Broadway showgirl, continued Boyland, sipping Anisette and vodka; and there was an amorous scene. Whereupon Merry said:

"This is all I wanted to know."

Merry, in a trim navy blue crepe suit, white kid gloves and flower-trimmed turban, testified that Pickering still managed her business affairs. He is the father of her 7-year-old son, Peter.

Married in Elkton

The heiress and Count Cassini, a 26-year-old Russian dress designer, were married in September, 1938, at Elkton, Md., after an elopement by plane. He is the son of Countess Margaret Cassini, prominent in Washington society during President Theodore Roosevelt's Administration.

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MERRY FAHRNEY

En Route Yesterday to Ask a Divorce From Her Fourth Husband

Merry testified that the count had never paid for anything since their marriage, and sometimes telephoned her collect from Washington asking for money.

The count, who seeks dismissal of her complaint, has threatened to name six corespondents to her one.

Aide to Masaryk and Benes Is Seized by Nazi Police

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Prague, Jan. 29.—Dr. Shamal, 74-year-old former chef de cabinet to former Presidents Thomas G. Masaryk and Eduard Benes, was arrested by the German police Saturday, it was learned reliably today.

It is believed he was arrested on suspicion of being connected with a prewar revolutionary society which was revived last March following German annexation of Czech territories.

Other Arrests Made

Prague, Jan. 29.—German authorities were revealed today to have made further arrests in the Bohemia-Moravia protectorate in an effort to stamp out anti-Nazi activities.

It was learned that 24 Czechs were arrested in Prague's Wenceslas Square yesterday when they refused to lift their hats in tribute to the Nazi swastika flag.

They were part of a crowd watching a parade of 2,000 Storm Troopers formed from among Germans of the protectorate. The arrests were the first under a new law prescribing a salute Czechs must give the German flag.

It was disclosed today that since the start of the war last September 3 about 20 Czechs, mostly military men, have fled from the protectorate to France.

Gen. Neumann, a former chief of the Czech general staff, was revealed to have fled to France on January 22 with the Czech minister of agriculture and the controller of prices, Dr. Ladislav Feierabend and Dr Jaromir Necas.

Virginia Bridges Not Yet in Peril

Richmond, Va., Jan. 29 (AP).—Virginia's main bridges have not been endangered as yet by the frigid weather, the State highway department reported today.

Ice breakers are now at work just above the Tappahannock Bridge where the Rappahannock River is frozen. Pilings which were broken last week by ice pressure at the Mattaponi River Bridge at West Point have been replaced. Ice is piled high at the Pamunkey River Bridge near West Point and there may be some damage to the structure if it shifts with the tides.

An icebreaker also was at work at Barrets, Ferry Bridge on the Chickahominy River.

Stones were being piled around the supports to the Shenandoah River bridges at Riverton. The Free Bridge over the Rappahannock at Fredericksburg also was being reinforced with stones.

Hagerstown Official Wins Pigeon Trophy

Hagerstown, Jan. 29.—Vernon M. Miller, city councilman and pigeon fancier, won the challenge cup at the National Pigeon Show in Philadelphia for the champion young bird of the show in which there were 3,600 entries. He also won trophies for the champion silver Hungarian and champion yearling of the show. Miller was one of the organizers of the National Pigeon Association in 1919.

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Red Bombs Kill 93, Injure 250

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the second floor when the first explosion came.

"I lost consciousness, and I don't remember how I got out," he said.

Two other survivors said they hobbled out on crutches, but a comrade near them was caught by the swiftly spreading flames.

Unofficial sources said total Russian casualties in the two battles north of Lake Ladoga might exceed several thousand.

The nightly Finnish communique said that 800 Russians had been killed in fighting immediately north of Lake Ladoga yesterday, where several enemy attacks were repulsed and "a few enemy strong points captured."

Bitter fighting in a second battle was reported in the vicinity of Aittajoki, about 50 miles northeast of Lake Ladoga, where the Russians attempted to turn the left flank of the Finnish line.

The high command said the attack had been thrown back and that "the enemy left more than 450 dead on the field."

Finnish aircraft was active during the fighting, which was officially described as "very fierce in character." Finnish planes "bombed assembled enemy troops and supply columns" and shot down two Russian planes and an observation balloon, the communique said.

Unofficial reports from the front indicated the Finns were pursuing the tactics they have found so successful elsewhere, permitting the Russian troops to advance and then swiftly encircling them to harass the flanks with machine gun fire while artillery shelled columns massed in the intervening area.

Elsewhere on the land front the Finnish high command noted little activity.

In the north, Russian planes bombed Hyrynsalmi and Kuhmoniemi, where a church was struck and several fires broke out.

Nazi Planes Bomb Ships Along Coast

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area but no hit was scored.

Other ships reported attacked were: British Officer, 6,990 tons; Stanburn, 2,881 tons; Knitsley, 2,272 tons; Wellpark, 4,649 tons; Imperial Monarch, 5,831 tons; Miriam, 1,903 tons; Athel Monarch, and the Danny-Bryn.

The aerial attacks were coupled with a British announcement that three neutral ships had been sunk by German submarines.

All but one member of the crew was reported lost when the 2,676-ton Danish steamer England was sunk. The number of the England's crew was not given.

At least seven men were lost when the 844-ton Norwegian steamer Faro sank. The captain and six of the crew were rescued.

A British naval vessel picked up a lifeboat with three men who said they were the sole survivors of the 1,591-ton Norwegian freighter Hosanger.

The air attacks all occurred between 9 a. m. and noon today. The bomber attacking the Imperial Monarch fled into a cloud when British fighter craft appeared.

Off Tyneside, the pilot of a Heinkel, diving from the clouds, found himself headed straight for a formation of British fighters, who opened fire before he flattened out, climbed and escaped.

Further south British fighters attacked another Heinkel, which turned and fled to the east into low-lying clouds—its rear gun replying to the British fire. One defending fighter plane was struck by a single bullet, but no other damage was done.

Cold Hampers Defenders.

Other enemy planes were driven off from the Yorkshire coast, where they had been strafing commercial shipping, including two lightships. Severe cold and low visibility hampered the defending planes. The weather was blamed for the failure of the British fighters to intercept and engage the German bombers which attacked the Shetlands, one of the favorite objectives of the enemy air force. However, the air ministry said, there was no damage or casualties there.

A mine which had been washed up on a southeast coast resort caused considerable damage when it struck the promenade and exploded, destroying a large section of a steel concrete wall and shaking houses within a quarter of a mile radius.

The importance of keeping shipping lanes open was emphasized by the announcement of Lennox Boyd, parliamentary secretary of the food ministry, that the government henceforth would monopolize the import of tea.

Boyd also declared that after February 5 margarine would be "vitalized" to make it equal to butter in nutritive value.

More Social Ebents Planed for Rotunda

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 29.—The ball reopening the University of Virginia's historic Rotunda was such a success that plans are being made by student groups for other dances there.

Some are proposing a "Gone With the Wind" costume ball in the spring. Others are looking as far ahead as November 22, the night before the University of North Carolina football game, and are saying that this should be the date for the next Rotunda dance.

One proposal that is being greeted with favor is for a revival of the custom of using the Rotunda for the Final Ball. The Rotunda was used for Final Balls from 1873 until 1896.

Nazis Protest Vatican Charges

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itself than anything heard by the outside world.

They are brought back or sent back by German officials and members of the German police, who either boast or deplore the methods adopted, but who agree that what is happening, especially, is little less than a process of national racial extermination.

And they feed on the constantly repeated pronouncements by the new German rulers in Poland about the rights of the "German master race;" the "hard but just" treatment of the Poles and the necessity of providing room for German colonization.

The total toll inflicted upon the Poles and Jews in Poland since September 1 can only be guessed. The figures circulating in Germany and the description of methods employed are so appalling only an impartial investigation ever can establish the truth.

Few Doubt Accuracy

But there are few in Germany who doubt the accuracy of what they hear, especially since it became known that even Col. Gen. Johannes Blaskowitz, the military commander in chief in the east, took exception to the methods employed.

The one absolution the Germans claim for themselves as a nation is that it is even worse across the border in the Russian share of Poland, where the process is not national or racial but class extermination.

Hlond Says It's Worse

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Rome, Jan. 29.—August Cardinal Hlond, primate of Poland and Polish Ambassador to the Holy See, said in an interview today that conditions in German-occupied Poland have grown worse since drafting of the Embassy's report of alleged atrocities, issued yesterday.

The 59-year-old cardinal, whose report covered alleged incidents only up to the end of December, said he could confirm "with deep regret" every word, and admitted sadly he could add even worse details.

Hlond said conditions in Russian-occupied Poland were distinctly better than in the German parts, but that he feared it was only a question of time before matters got much worse. The Russians were not executing many Poles but were deporting thousands into Russia, he said.

"Hitler is carrying out what he said about Poland in 'Mein Kampf' literally," his eminence asserted. "It is a deliberate policy of extermination; an effort to root the 7,000,000 people out of their soil in western Poland to supplant them by Germans. Hitler wrote that the Poles cannot be Germanized; they must be wiped out in those regions, and that is what he is doing."

Clarence Smith to Speak

Altavista, Va., Jan. 29 (AP).—N. Clarence Smith, chairman of the Virginia Conservation Commission, will be the principal speaker at President Roosevelt's birthday dinner here tomorrow night.

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Japan Drafts Seizure Note To England

Demand for Return Of Seamen Would Create Deadlock

By Hugh Byas.

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Tokyo, Jan. 29.—The government of Japan is preparing its answer to the points of international law raised by the British note concerning the Asama Maru incident.

The reply will reassert Japan's contention that only belligerents on the active list can lawfully be removed from neutral vessels.

It follows the contention Japan is entitled to demand the return of some or all of the 21 Germans taken from the liner. Such demands would create a rigid situation.

Foreign Office Spokesman Yakachiro Suma today declined to go beyond the statement that it "may" be made.

Legal Issues Raised

The note is intended to show that Japan, also, has a legal case. When this is made clear, it is expected that British Ambassador Craigie and Foreign Minister Arita will resume their conversations on its super-legal aspects.

Those conversations will reveal how far the British government means to appease Japan's sense of injured national dignity.

As the case stands now, the British government has expressed regret for the unhappy repercussions the affair has caused in Japan.

Japan is still a young nation and hyper-sensitive about its standing. The British now realize that the situation needs something which will restore Japan's "face." But an unqualified demand that Great Britain should forthwith recant her views and restore the prisoners would create a new situation.

Press Is Calmer

A calmer tone is now evident in the press. This is shown by a greater inclination to discuss those "legalistic technicalities" which when mentioned by Craigie last week aroused outbursts of fresh anger. Some newspapers justify their excitement by inventing a connection between the British action and the abrogation of the American treaty.

Nichi Nichi sees a well devised plan to take advantage of the present embarrassing position of Japan's relations with the United States. The Kokumin Shimbun believes Great Britain is trying to profit by America's stiffer attitude toward Japan.

Planes Roar Over Zones

By the Associated Press

Tientsin, Jan. 28.—Japanese military planes roaring low over the blockaded British and French concessions today aggravated tension of the foreign zone surrounded by electrically charged barricades and Japanese sentries.

Barbed wire inclosures around the British and French concessions were charged with electric current Sunday and a food import ban imposed after Japanese-British friction arose.

Chinese language newspapers controlled by the Japanese army launched attacks on the United States' abrogation of her friendship and trade treaty with Japan.

One paper declared the action re-

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Fuel Shortage Cuts Power in Japan Areas

Railway Stations Stop Clocks as Factories Halt

By the Associated Press

Tokyo (Tuesday), Jan. 30.—Japan's industrial heart virtually stopped beating today when a critical fuel shortage forced the government to suspend the electric power supply in 14 prefectures embracing Osaka, Kobe and Kyoto.

The power was shut off at 9 a. m. (7 p. m., E. S. T.) and the suspension likely will continue 14 hours and possibly to Wednesday.

Coal and water are the major factors of the production of electricity in Japan and coal long has been extremely scarce owing to war-congested railway and shipping lines.

In addition, unusual drought for the last three months crippled hydroelectric production.

The suspension did not apply to railways, telegraph or telephone systems or to factories engaged in "urgent" industries, namely the production of war materials.

There was no time to warn factory operators. More than 3,000,000 workers took their places at machines as usual and then were told to return to their homes.

The volume of electric power throughout Japan has been reduced several times and lighting in the offices and homes in the biggest metropolitan centers has been poor.

Electric clocks, even in the railway stations, have been stopped.

Hit-Run Driver Sentenced to Die

Moscow, Jan. 29 (AP).—A Russian court ordered the death penalty today for a hit-and-run driver whose car killed a woman after a drinking party. He had been fined ten times previously for traffic violations.

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An Acid Test

The issue of parity payments for farmers will put the economy bloc in Congress to the acid test. It is politically easy to refuse funds to a few obscure agencies in Washington and to trim appropriations for miscellaneous Federal bureaus. But benefits to the farmer are close to the heart of many Congressmen. Will they be willing to economize to the extent of withholding subsidies from the farmer's pocket?

Last year the desire to bolster farm income easily overcame the less specific desire to hold governmental expenditures in check. Congress appropriated $225,000,000 for parity payments, in addition to $500,000,000 for soil conservation benefits and several hundred million dollars for other farm projects. With a general election scheduled for November, many have anticipated that Congress might this year be still more vulnerable to pressure from farm organizations.

But other forces are also at work. Should the present session favor parity payments it would also be under great pressure to raise the necessary fund through new tax levies. Taxes in an election year are as distasteful to legislators as the loss of benefits to their constituents. Parity payments without new taxes would probably necessitate an increase in the national debt limit, a step which is also loaded with political dynamite.

In these circumstances a sharp cut in farm benefits appears to be the less dangerous horn of the dilemma. Undoubtedly that is why farm-bloc leaders have decided to soft-pedal their demands for a parity-payment fund of more than $200,000,000 when the agriculture appropriation bill goes before the House today. Presumably they are trying to devise some strategy better than an outright assault upon the economy movement. Perhaps they will wait and press their case in the Senate, where rural influence is stronger than it is in the House. But the mere fact that farm spokesmen are reluctant to press the issue at present itself affords an encouraging indication of the way the wind is blowing.

No member of Congress will need to apologize for standing rigidly against continuation of these supersubsidies for agriculture. Enormous benefits, including the so-called soil conservation payments, will continue to be granted. For Congress further to expand our swollen national debt in the hope of raising farmers' purchasing power to the 1909-14 level would be patently indefensible. The whole theory of restoring the relationship existing between industry and agriculture 30 years ago is screwy. Should Congress again order the Treasury to borrow money for that purpose, against the expressed wishes of the Administration, hope of returning to fiscal sanity would subside to a very low ebb.

A Doubtful Service

Civic leaders have good reason to be disappointed over the support given by Chairman Randolph, of the House District Committee, to the proposal for an elected citizens advisory council. Mr. Randolph had been regarded as a leader of the local suffrage campaign in Congress. It is difficult to believe that he is ready to compromise on the election of a mere advisory council, even before the fight for local self-government has begun.

Mr. Randolph's proposal is the less satisfactory if he regards it as an alternative to a vigorous fight to secure an elected city council. Most civic leaders recognize that the election of any official in this disfranchised community would be a step in the right direction. But that does not create enthusiasm for a council whose chief duty would be to advise an impotent Board of Commissioners.

As Mrs. Roosevelt pointed out yesterday, an enfranchised community could be counted upon to do something about disgraceful local conditions of which the deficiencies at Blue Plains are only a sample. But permission to vote for a powerless advisory council would have no such effect. It might to some extent obscure the problems arising from the denial of democracy to Washingtonians. It would do nothing to solve those problems.

Effort should now be concentrated on the creation of a full-fledged local government to operate under a charter granted by Congress. That issue ought to be presented in a clear-cut manner. Should Congress find good reasons for rejecting the appeal of the local community for rights accorded every other American city, expedients to improve the present situation might be in order. But to sponsor such expedients at this stage is to confess the battle lost before it has been joined.

Washington's Censor

The movement for reorganization of the District government has struck a snag in the Budget Bureau. About three weeks ago the Board of Commissioners sent its reorganization bill to the bureau for routine approval so that it might be forwarded to Congress. Representative Kennedy's committee is still waiting for the bill to be officially released so that hearings may be held.

Every day that the bill remains bottled up in the Budget Bureau represents so much time wasted. Already that agency has prevented the House District Committee from giving this or a substitute bill an early start through the House. That delay may seriously complicate the problem of securing action on a measure to overhaul our obsolete system of local government at the present session. For if the bill does not reach the Senate before the pressure for adjournment begins to be felt, it is almost certain to be pushed aside.

It is questionable whether this measure should have gone to the Budget Bureau at all. The bill was drafted in response to a request from the Kennedy committee for criticism by the Commissioners of the Griffenhagen reorganization plan. The local officials were instructed to report back to the House group not later than last December 15. In these circumstances there was no point in routing the bill through the Budget Bureau.

At least the bureau should have promptly forwarded the proposal to Congress. Its failure to do so once more flagrantly illustrates the horse-and-buggy procedure by which this Capital City is governed. The measure in question is not a money bill. It has nothing to do with the Federal budget. It represents only the advice of local authorities to a committee of Congress as to improvement of Washington's governmental machinery. Yet the Budget Bureau has intervened to thwart the prompt delivery of the Commissioners' message.

Attention is thus centered upon the impossible hodgepodge of conflicting agencies that carry on governmental functions in the District. The titular heads of the local government cannot even report their recommendations on this vital issue to Congress without having them held up and possibly censored by a Federal bureau. A regime so impotent can scarcely be called a "local government" without distorting the historic meaning of those words.

Of course, this is a busy season for the Budget Bureau. But that does not excuse its arbitrary detention of a document that should have been automatically forwarded to Congress without alteration. If Congress wanted the advice of the Budget Bureau as to reorganization of the District government, it would send a request direct to that agency. In the absence of any such request, what right has the bureau to hold up the recommendations which a House committee asked the Board of Commissioners to prepare?

Since the Kennedy committee already has copies of the Commissioners' proposed bill, it may well decide to wait no longer to receive official copies of the same document from the Budget Bureau. And this experience should certainly encourage the committee, regardless of how the government of Washington may be reconstituted, to cut the District free from the Federal censor which stands between it and Congress.

Rumania On The Spot

When the Balkan Entente conference meets at Belgrade, on Friday, discussion is certain to center on the problem of Rumania.

To a greater or lesser extent all the Balkan nations, for that matter all the small neutrals of Europe, find themselves in an extraordinarily difficult situation. Each of them is the object of peremptory demands by Germany, on the one hand, and the Allies, on the other, to do nothing that might in any way aid the respective enemies of these belligerents. And not one of the neutrals has the slightest assurance that the war will not spread in their direction.

Rumania's outlook, however, is particularly dubious. She has the misfortune of being at once rich and vulnerable and the added disadvantage of being threatened not from one side but from four. In the interests of preserving that peace which all the neutrals desperately desire, Hungary and Bulgaria may be counted upon not to press their claims to Rumanian territory too hard at this time. But even so, Bucharest must reckon with the possibility of an aggression by Russia or Germany, or by both in combination.

Finland's stout resistance has given Rumania a welcome breathing spell so far as Russia is concerned. But, the pressure from Germany to compel Rumania to increase her oil and grain shipments to the Reich, and counter-pressure from the Allies urging that Rumania decrease rather than increase her sales to Germany, are steadily increasing. German spokesmen have made it clear to Bucharest that the Reich would not stand by with folded hands if Rumania submits to Allied pressure. In the meantime, Great Britain and France are reported to have threatened to withdraw their guarantee to Rumania unless King Carol shows a greater readiness to plug up the loopholes in the Allied blockade. That this guarantee can be more than a paper pledge is suggested in the announcement from Paris that the Allies are assembling in the Near East a force sufficient "to face any eventuality."

Finding herself in a vise, Rumania is turning to her Balkan partners, for badly needed support. But it is doubtful if they will vouchsafe her the assistance she would need should Germany or Russia go on the warpath against her. Great as is the recognition by the exposed nonbelligerents of Europe of the value of united action, the philosophy that governs their respective policies continues to be one of every nation for itself and the devil take the hindmost.

Liquidating The Church

The reports seeping out of Poland, the latest being the memorandum presented to the Pope with the authorization of August Cardinal Hlond, the Polish primate, indicate all too clearly that a cold-blooded campaign to exterminate the Catholic Church in that country is under way.

The persecution of priests, the suppression of religious communities, the confiscation of church funds, which Cardinal Hlond's memorandum describes in detail, all have a definite purpose. That purpose is, clearly, to destroy the effectiveness of an institution which might serve as a rallying point for Polish nationalism. And in carrying through this project the Nazis are also able to liquidate whole Polish communities and open them up to German settlement.

The story of what is going on in Poland today would seem incredible were it not so fully authenticated. But added proof that the program of extermination is deliberate is found in Hitler's "Mein Kampf."

In Chapter XIV of the second volume of that revealing work, the Fuehrer made it very clear that the goal of his policy is not merely the righting of the wrongs of Versailles. Those who believe that would be enough, he says, are merely "pathetic babblers." National Socialists, he says, "must cling unflinchingly to our foreign-policy aims, that is to guarantee the German nation the soil and territory to which it is entitled on this earth."

"No nation," he went on to say, "possesses even a single square kilometer of soil and territory . . . because of a superior will, let alone a superior right. Just as the German frontiers are frontiers of chance and temporary frontiers in the day's passing political struggles, so are the other frontiers of other nations' domain of life." Might to Hitler makes right. And "only the might of a triumphant sword will in the future assign us territory, and with it life for our nation."

Against Poland the Nazi sword was, indeed, triumphant. Polish resistance was speedily crushed. But the war against the Poles goes on. For the real aim is not military conquest but "the winning of land for settlement." And that involves the expatriation or extermination of the conquered race, the destruction of their institutions and the liquidation of their church. The latter, in Poland, is particularly vulnerable precisely because it has for centuries been so strong an element in the preservation of Polish civilization.

Kentucky Fuehrer?

Because of the "bloodstained history" of the Earls of Derby, the name of a German horse-racing classic, heretofore known as the Hamburg Derby, is to be changed.

In making this announcement the *Voelkischer Beobachter*, authoritative Nazi newspaper, observes that "we do not wish to see the name of exponents of the English policy of rapine, blood, murder and land grabbing perpetuated." The allusion, while somewhat obscure, seems to refer to the frequency with which members of the Derby family have held the post of Minister of War in Great Britain.

The substitute name for the Hamburg race has not yet been selected. But the desire to carry a convincing impression of self-restraint, peacefulness and general good will is obvious. Probably Dr. Goebbels is now debating between Fuehrer and Stalin as the new nomenclature. A difficult choice it is but, patriotism aside, Hitler should get the honor.

Certainly, if he wins the war, not many will ever again venture to accuse him of harboring aggressive purposes. The peace he will inflict will see to that.

It is unfair to give the word "reactionary" an opprobrious connotation. A cat that sits on a hot stove is trying something new; if he jumps off, he is a reactionary.

"Stolid, unimaginative people, with dull sensibilities, enjoy life more than any other type," declares a psychologist. Great life if you don't waken, eh?

"Your chance of having quintuplets is slim—only one in 57,000,000," writes a columnist. It's even slimmer than that, brother.

"Liberia has only one automobile to each 47,170 persons."—Newspaper filler. Many pedestrians in Liberia die natural deaths.

We dislike to have to disillusion you, but there are ever so many cases in which the underdog, too, has fleas.

Lest We Forget

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OH! HOW I LIKE SUMMER!

Letters To The Editor

All communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. In fairness to other correspondents brevity is requested. Letters are subject to condensation.

A Managed Judiciary?

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Less than three years ago great interest was excited by a proposal to add six members to the Supreme Court in order to secure a majority to validate legislation of a certain type that had previously been found unconstitutional. So much opposition developed that the plan was abandoned.

This opposition was based primarily upon the theory that the proposal was inconsistent with the maintenance of an independent judiciary. Since then, death and resignation have so cleared the way that the President has been enabled to appoint five new members to the court, whereby it is claimed and admitted that the object of the original proposal has been accomplished. That the President shares this view is indicated by his remark at the Jackson Day Dinner that the courts have been "brought up to date."

The apparent lack of interest in these developments raises a doubt as to the sincerity and depth of the opposition to the original plan. Was it founded upon a real and enduring faith in the theory of judicial independence, or was the demonstration merely the temporary flare-up of a dying fire?

The idea of a managed judiciary would have been abhorrent to the framers of the Constitution. To secure complete independence of politics, it was provided that justices of the Supreme Court should be appointed for life—a provision clearly inconsistent with responsibility to any political theory that may be only temporarily dominant. The necessity of preserving judicial independence is reflected in the constitution of my native State, Wisconsin, which requires separate elections of judges—a provision that has well proven its value.

How far we have strayed from original concepts is shown by the suggestion of other ardent party adherents for court vacancies that may occur; for example, Senators Minton and Schwellenbach. And I note that Mr. J. Warren Madden, chairman of the National Labor Relations Board, who, with his fellow members of the board, is widely charged with prejudicial and illegal administration of the law, is mentioned as a probable appointee to a judgeship. All of these suggestions are made without any apparent sense of incongruity.

These facts evidence either a letdown in public intelligence or a very important change in the attitude of our people toward their Government. Neither explanation is reassuring. C. V. BURNSIDE.
Washington, Jan. 2?

Spending And Income

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I am waiting patiently for your editorial reaction to the fact that since the American people fired the "great engineer" they have loaned themselves a round $20,000,000,000 and raised their collective business income some $30,000,000,000. I should like to mention another fact or two for editorial consideration.

The borrowed money costs 2 per cent and the annual return in increased income is 150 per cent. Moreover, Uncle Sam has been borrowing money at a minus rate of interest. The public credit of 130,000,000 people appears to be fairly good. It might be better than gold, who knows? Few people know anything about money. Is this a fact?

When seeking to contravert the factual evidence that appears to favor Governmental spending as a business proposition, The Post might tell its readers what the relation is between "balancing the budget" and starvation amidst plenty. The latter happens to be an outstanding characteristic of the vaunted American system or way of life.

Starvation amidst plenty calls attention to another budget which is sadly out of balance, namely, the budget of consumption and production of goods and services.

RICHARD FRANCHOT.
Washington, Jan. 29.

We Can't Eat Gold

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Mark Sullivan's articles raising the question: What are we going to do about the $18,000,000,000 gold hoard at Fort Knox? are well taken. They should make our statesmen (if any) in Congress think. This problem of too much gold is directly the concern of Congress.

At a time when Congress is cutting down appropriations for social services and relief badly needed by 10,000,000 unemployed, it seems ridiculous that this vast treasure at Fort Knox cannot be brought up out of its dark hole and put into circulation. The question in the minds of many people is this: Is there something wrong with our present social system that permits millions of people to belong to the "ill-fed, ill-housed, and ill-clothed" while two thirds of the wealth of the world lies buried in our land?

A miser is defined as one who starves himself while fondling his glittering gold. Recollect the story of Silas Marner? Is Uncle Sam a miser? Or merely stupid?

All the countries of the world are selling their gold to us at $35 an ounce, much above the current world market price, as Mr. Sullivan shows. Russia can produce an ounce of gold at a cost of $6 and sell it to Uncle Sam at a profit of $29. Why do we buy it? Will Congress answer?

Mark Sullivan's articles prove conclusively that the "gold problem" (for it is a real problem) cannot be considered apart from the general economic scheme of things. A swing of emphasis to production of "guns rather than butter" makes our whole economy lopsided. So does gold buying. These things pave the way for the next depression. It is up to Congress to do something, and soon.

ARISTOTLE.
Washington, Jan. 28.

Brayne-Storm

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I'm addressing this letter to you because your paper is doing such a splendid job on helping to smoke up the country with a lot of fake news that's trying to get us into the war.

So I'm asking you to remember just one thing: The Yanks Are Not Coming! No, no matter how hard you try to paint one side in the war as a beast, and the other with a fig-leaf and the Dove of Peace. We weren't born yesterday and we remember some of the answers from 1917. We don't want to kill and we don't want to get killed for someone else's gain.

And besides, if you've got so many billions of dollars to send us to Europe to blast hell out of men—men who are no different from us and no happier about it than we are—then what are you squawking so much for about the money for something really constructive and humane.

And in case you've forgotten, this would be money for the one-third of the Nation that's ill-fed, ill-clothed and ill-housed. (Not to say anything about the fellows who were laid off in the United States Housing Administration and other Government agencies.)

So please try to get this straight. We've got a big enough mess at home without looking around for a bigger one to get into. And here is an easy way for you to remember just how we feel about it:

"The Yanks Are Not Coming!"

ROBERT BRAYNE.
Washington, Jan. 24.

Washington's Health Is The Issue

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The compromise proposal "worked out" by the District Commissioners, which replaces the clause proposing the ousting of the incumbent District health officer, is almost as pernicious as the original proposal, as was pointed out by Representative Kennedy in The Washington Post Saturday morning. The real issue, which has been obscured by the clouds of controversy raised by the personal attack on Dr. Ruhland, is the public health of the District of Columbia and the best means of caring for it, and has nothing to do with personalities; in other words, how is the public health of the District of Columbia to be cared for in the most efficient way?

This is what basically concerns the physicians of the District individually and as represented by the District Medical Society, not the politics of personal preferment, or the satisfying of a grudge. If the public health of the District could be considered to be better cared for by the transient services of a public health officer borrowed from his official duties, without any personal responsibility to the people of the District, that would be the best plan at least on theoretic grounds. There are, however, many reasons to doubt that this is true. The temporary tenure of office which would prevent the carrying out over the years of the consistent policy so important in municipal public health work, and the essential lack of any responsibility to the District itself, as well as the assumption of duties which, in the main, especially from the administrative standpoint, are rather different than those of the active officer in the Public Health Service, are all, I believe, valid arguments against such a plan.

This is particularly true in view of the fact that in the past five years, in marked contrast to earlier health administrations here, the Health Department has accomplished, in spite of considerable odds, noteworthy changes in our public health situation.

I would like also to point out the inconsistency of the Commissioners—the same who were in office when the search for the best available public health official was made some five years ago—who then, to my personal knowledge, strongly opposed the mere suggestion that an officer from the Public Health Service be borrowed to fill this important office.

As a matter of fact, there seems to be no need for the proposed section at all, as the policy of choosing the best available man was followed when the last choice was made, without legislation directing that this be done, and the Commissioners at that time appointed the man who, after an exhaustive study by a competent committee of their own choosing, ranked highest among the many names considered.

It is a serious question whether the analagous Engineer Commissioner makes the best solution of that side of the District's problems for basically the same reasons advanced against a service-connected health officer. It would be easy to argue that it is not the best solution for our engineering problems, though this has been the custom in the District for some years.

The Washington Post should be congratulated for its clear and consistent setting forth of the facts of the case throughout the discussion. The medical profession and the citizens of the District should be most grateful to it.

Finally, I would repeat that the public health of the District is the question at issue.

JOHN MINOR, M. D.
Washington, Jan. 23.

The Post Impressionist

The Skunk, Friend Or Enemy?

From Oakland, way over in Garrett County, the westernmost book of Maryland, comes an A. P. item saying that the local sportmen's association has declared war "in earnest on eight enemies of wildlife." Prizes will be awarded hunters who take numbers of the "enemy," on the basis of points: 'Wild cats, 200; foxes, 100; weasels, 100; skunks, 25; goshawks, 50; great horned owls, 50; crows, 50; watersnakes, 25."

Leaving the rest of these worthy members of our fauna out of the picture for the present, I'd like to put in a word for the skunk. True, he is rated only a paltry 25 points, along with the watersnake. But I don't believe he is an enemy of wildlife, or of anything else.

The skunk is a very lovely creature. He has, really, only one bad feature, and that is only from an olfactory standpoint, which is relatively unimportant. In fact, the pungent smell of skunks on damp fall nights is not unbearable. Perhaps otherwise we should not be so emphatically reminded that these little furry mammals are abroad, blazing the scene of some mephitic encounter, grubbing for their food, and invariably minding their own business.

Sometimes we are reminded of their presence in a far more repulsive way than by the tell-tale scent. That is by their crushed bodies along our main-traveled highways. Among the wild animals killed at night by automobiles skunks are possibly the most frequent victims, because they are one of the tamest of our wild creatures. Many persons, therefore, especially city-dwellers, have seen plenty of skunks but only dead ones. That is too bad.

My friend Edward A. Preble, who has traveled this continent over as a naturalist, once wrote: "There are few prettier sights in nature than a mother skunk leading abroad her family of babies, perhaps no larger than chipmunks, each a replica of herself." And there is a poem by Robert P. Tristram Coffin, the only one on the subject of the skunk I ever remember seeing:

When the sun has slipped away
And the dew is on the day,
Then the creature comes to call
Men malign the most of all.

The little skunk is very neat,
With his sensitive, plush feet
And a dainty, slim head set
With diamonds on bands of jet.

He walks upon his evening's duty
Of declaring how that beauty
With her patterns is not done
At the setting of the sun.

He undulates across the lawn,
He asks nobody to fawn
On his graces. All that he
Asks is that men let him be.

He knows that he is very fine
In very clean and rippling line,
He is a conscious black and white
Little symphony of night.

In spite of this esthetic appeal (call it sentimental if you want to) that the skunk must have to those who really know the animal, it is maligned unjustly, chiefly because it eats a few birds' eggs and occasionally raids the farmer's chicken coop. Suppose the skunk were put on trial for its life. There would be some good witnesses for the defense.

Dr. Marcus Y. Lyon, jr., mammalogist, would probably be there. He might read from his book, "Mammals of Indiana": "Skunks' food consists mainly of mice, small reptiles, frogs and salamanders, occasionally birds and their eggs. They are particularly fond of insects, especially grasshoppers and other large forms. They readily eat fish, crustaceans and refuse when available. Vegetable matter is sometimes eaten."

Arthur H. Howell, of the United States Biological Survey, another skunk expert, would corroborate this and add: "In many parts of the United States skunks have been found useful in destroying the 'white grub,' a great pest of lawns and meadows. They occasionally rob the poultry yard, but such depredations as they commit are more than offset by their destruction of noxious mammals and insects."

William Beebe, deep-sea diver, naturalist, and essayist, would be summoned, and he would deliver this eloquent plea: "Follow a skunk in its wanderings as it comes out of its hole in early evening, slowly stretches and yawns, and with hesitating, rolling gait ambles along, now and then sniffing in the grass and seizing some sluggish grasshopper or cricket. Fearlessness and confidence are what its gait and manner spell. The world is its debtor, and all creatures in its path are left unmolested, only on evidence of good behavior."

The jury would then hear the stories of a farmer or two who had lost a few chicks and the tales of a few hunters who had seen skunks eating bobwhite eggs. The august body would then sit and presently render the following decision: "After weighing all the evidence, the jury finds the skunk guilty of malodorous conduct, vagrancy, an undue fondness for chicken, walking on the wrong side of the boulevard, and sucking eggs without a license. It is declared to be vermin and an enemy of wildlife and deserves to be shot, trapped, or otherwise put to death on sight."

As a boy my experience with skunks was that of trying to trap them for their fur. The proffered price of $2 or so for a good black-skunk pelt was then most alluring. I don't think I ever got one, and now I'm glad of it. Enemies of wildlife indeed! Twenty-five points for a skunk! A skunk is about as harmful as a stump. And that reminds me of the old tongue-twister: "A skunk sat on a stump. The skunk thunk the stump stunk, the stump thunk the skunk stunk." That is probably the situation, more or less, between me and the "sportsmen" of Garrett County, Md.

PAUL H. OEHSER.

Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

Generous Albion

THE NEW YORK correspondent of Lord Beaverbrook's London Express has written a candid article about the Americans which has been cabled back here by the London correspondent of the Chicago Tribune and the New York Daily News. The New York correspondent of the London Express advises his countrymen to ignore American public opinion in the matter of the mail seizures and, in effect, to continue to treat us rough lest the Americans be given to suspect the English are trying to woo us into their war. He is convinced that we are convinced that the United States must go into the war, anyway, and his report on the state of our mind adjures the English to give us no reason to think that in fighting on their side we would be doing them a favor which might call for a show of gratitude later on.

It becomes more apparent that the English are not at all selfish about this war, but are willing to grant the United States a big share of it, wars being the one article with which the English are generous to this Nation. They are willing to cut us in for a piece of it, but for our own self-respect want us to think that it was rightfully our own and not a gift from them. The psychology of the English toward the American Nation is similar to that of the Englishman toward his women, an attitude which the American language capsuled into a vulgar phrase a few years ago, to wit, "Treat 'em rough and make 'em like it." It has succeeded in the past and appears to be operating well again, for the American Government, the political leaders of the opposition, the press and public opinion are against England's enemies, and the Nation as a whole is circling closer to the scuffle, eagerly inviting a kick in the pants or a glancing, half-meant swipe across the countenance which could be blown up into a mortal grievance.

Interference With Mails Fails To Stir Emotion

IT MUST BE WRITTEN now that no kick or swipe from England will be regarded as sufficient cause to take up arms against England in this war and that England will be careful always to do nothing that would arouse us emotionally against her. Interference with our mails or ships will not arouse our emotions, because mails, merchandise and boats do not bleed or moan. And meanwhile the Germans with their unerring stupidity are starving and freezing the wretched Poles and degrading millions of captives into the status of class B, C and D members of the human race, and the Jews into a subhuman classification, all to the great emotional distress of millions of Americans, of Austrian, Czech, Polish and Jewish persuasion, and to the ominous alarm of our Scandinavians, who foresee the elaboration of the Stalin-Hitler war on Finland.

These are the dramatic factors which will arouse the Americans to the point of war against England's enemies without their knowing or even suspecting that the American war interest lies not in Europe but in collaboration with the British in the Pacific. By measures short of war we have already struck a hard blow in that theater, where, only a short time ago the impudent Japanese were stripping English females to their underwear, which, in case you don't know, consists of the 24 button knit union suit—a most unprepossessing garment—just to make them and Chamberlain gobble and to make the Chinese laugh. It may be confessed that if the Japanese were not so thoroughly occupied in trying to let go a dragon's tail at the moment they would be equally busy trying to kick the British, the Dutch and us out of the Orient, a mission which would call for firm American remonstrance, which is to say, war.

So it does seem that Lord Beaverbrook's correspondent is right and that the British already have us hooked, and the only possible objection on our part lies against the fate which makes it necessary to be comradely with a breed of people so bleak, selfish, unlovely, hypocritical, cunning, supercilious, rude and, of themselves and their country, unimportant as the English.

Change In Strength Changes Attitude

WHEN THIS NATION was not so many years younger the English were by habit openly insulting toward everything American, and the change from a rather threatening nastiness to a cold and sneering superiority, like the abrupt change from bulldozing arrogance to peace-loving patience in China, has been due to no change of heart but to a change in strength. There is, God knows, no reason for us to love them or to deceive ourselves with notions of altruism or nobility on their part, and if we had lived as close to them as the Germans have all these years, possessing the practical virtues of the Germans, the United States undoubtedly would detest them in the same degree and for the same reasons that the dumb heinies always conceal from themselves with their idiotic trash about their racial superiority and a divine mission to persecute their inferiors.

For American self-respect, then, let it be understood that if we must enter the war in either theater we do so for practical reasons of our own, and that it is not for love but for military and political convenience that we collaborate with an ally with a heart notoriously too full of greed to have any room for nobility, generosity, honesty or friendship.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

The Seriousness Of The Far Eastern Question

OUR RELATIONS with Japan are now in a very much more serious condition than the majority of Congress or of the people at large seem as yet to have realized. No one can afford to use big words about it.

But the fact is that the issue which has caused the termination of our treaty relations with Japan is more serious, because it is more difficult to settle peaceably, than any issue which has arisen in our foreign relations for 25 years.

The situation in which we now find ourselves was precipitated by a resolution introduced by Senator Vandenberg on July 18 last. This resolution was referred to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations. Senator Borah was then the ranking Republican member of the committee, and among others on the committee were Senators Hiram Johnson, Capper, La Follette and Shipstead. Senator Nye was not a member. But it is highly relevant to note that Mr. Vandenberg is his candidate for President. It is, therefore, clear beyond dispute that the Vandenberg resolution cannot be ascribed to British propaganda or to an intrigue by the President "to involve us in other people's wars" in order to obtain a third term. The Vandenberg resolution was offered by a leading member of the Foreign Relations Committee; it was referred to that committee in the very week when Senator Vandenberg and his associates on that committee voted to table repeal of the arms embargo and revision of the neutrality laws.

A canvass of the committee showed that it favored the sense of the Vandenberg resolution, and so, acting on the initiative of the Republican isolationists, the State Department served notice on Japan that at the end of six months the treaty of 1911 would end. Though on virtually every other matter in domestic or foreign policy there was at the time fierce opposition to the President, on this matter there was no objection, indeed there was universal nonpartisan suppport. Yet the Vandenberg resolution was the longest step on the road to war that the United States has taken since President Wilson announced in 1915 that he would hold the German government to strict accountability for its acts.

Interpreted As Step Toward Embargo

THE TERMS of the Vandenberg resolution and the circumstances in which it was offered must, therefore, be studied, now that the country is face to face with the actual consequences of the resolution. It declares that "the United States should give Japan the six months notice required by the treaty of 1911 for its abrogation." Why? "So that the Government of the United States may be free to deal with Japan in the formulation of a new treaty and in the protection of American interests as new necessities may require." Everywhere in the world this was taken to mean that the United States was making itself legally free to impose an embargo against Japan and, though there seems to be some doubt whether Mr. Vandenberg himself had this in mind, no important voice was raised at the time to deny this interpretation of the resolution. It did not mean that the United States would impose an embargo, it did mean that the United States could impose an embargo.

But that is not the whole of the Vandenberg resolution. It contains a second paragraph which, considering Mr. Vandenberg's isolationist theories, is really most curious. The Senator asked that "the Conference of Brussels of 1937, now in recess, should be reassembled." The Conference of Brussels was attended by the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, China, the Netherlands, Belgium and Portugal. These powers, says the Vandenberg resolution, should meet to "determine, pursuant to the Nine Power Treaty of Washington of 1922, whether Japan has been and is violating said treaty and to recommend the appropriate course to be pursued by the signatories."

Conference Was To Uphold Treaty

THIS WAS a remarkable proposal. It was made, let us remember, at a time when Japan was still bound up with Germany in the so-called anti-Comintern Pact. The United States was to join with six European powers, not including Germany and Russia, and with one greatly interested Asiatic power, namely China, in passing judgment upon Japan. This international group was then to recommend "the appropriate course to be pursued," if Japan was found guilty. It is plain that by the words "appropriate course," Senator Vandenberg cannot have meant that the conference should condone Japan's violation of the Nine Power Treaty; his firm language can mean only that the conference was to uphold the treaty, and by something more than the use of words.

Yet at the time when Senator Vandenberg introduced the resolution, which brought about the termination of our treaty relations with Japan, the European members of his proposed conference were known to be on the brink of a European war. That fact must have been known to Senator Vandenberg. Yet he proposed to invite Great Britain and France (but not Germany) to join with the United States in judging Japan and in recommending a course of action. But also, at the very moment when Senator Vandenberg was calling upon these European powers to help us deal with the Far Eastern problem, he was devoting his great eloquence and mighty influence to deny them the right to purchase arms by preventing the repeal of the arms embargo.

Thus he was asking the European Allies to join us in challenging Japan in the Far East while he was telling the people here that it made no vital difference to them if the Allies were defeated in Europe. He was asking the United States to engage in collective action against Japan in the Pacific while he was willing to take the risk of injuring fatally in the Atlantic his proposed partners in the collective action.

Mental Confusion At Home Is Danger

THINKING OF this character is what makes so very serious the Far Eastern situation that the Vandenberg resolution has precipitated. This profound mental confusion at home, and not the wiles of foreign propagandists or the strength of our potential opponents abroad, is our real danger. For it has caused us to challenge a great power, as the Vandenberg resolution challenges Japan, without calculating the consequences of taking account of the cost or considering how the challenge can be made good.

There are many in Washington who even today have not realized what it means to end our treaty relations with Japan in order to force Japan, on the theory of the Vandenberg resolution, to retreat from China. They do not seem to have grasped the fact that this is a frontal challenge to a great power on an issue which that power regards as so vital that it has gone to war about it. But they can measure the seriousness of the challenge when they recall that Great Britain and France are at war with Germany because they insist that Hitler shall give up in Poland, Czecho-Slovakia and Austria what we are asking Japan to give up in China.

It would be a great mistake to assume that Japan will retreat because we apply an increasing economic pressure. To rely on that solution is to fall into that most dangerous of all errors, to underestimate the strength of an opponent. On the contrary, it would be folly not to realize that the Japanese can resort to more and more desperate expedients as their situation becomes more and more desperate. As a matter of fact, they have already indicated how they are likely to respond to our pressure. They will not try to challenge us directly. They will recoup their prestige and compensate themselves for their losses by measures directed against other nations, against those very nations which Senator Vandenberg in his resolution wished to call to our assistance.

Japan Intensifies Action In China

THUS THE Japanese have replied to the psychological blow of the treaty abrogation by intensifying their assault on the British at Tien-Tsin. As we tighten the screws, they will intensify their actions against the French supply lines to free China. They will in all probability try to come to terms with Soviet Russia for a partition of China. And if Hitler attacks the Netherlands, they are not likely for long to leave untouched the almost undefended Netherlands Indies.

The Japanese will, in other words, seek to destroy the power of our potential partners in the Far East. They will ally themselves with the nations in Europe which are at war with our potential partners in the Far East. They will strike not at us but at our friends. And their object will be, while avoiding war with the United States, to isolate us completely, and put us in a position where we must accept their supremacy in the Western Pacific or fight them alone under extremely difficult conditions. For they know that if the Allies can be driven out of the Far East and defeated, or made helpless, in Europe, then the United States will be quite unable with any force it can command to uphold its interests in both oceans at once.

Senator Vandenberg was quite right last July when he saw that the Far Eastern question cannot be settled without the participation of the European powers. He was much more profoundly right than he himself has as yet begun to realize.

'Met' Conductor And Melchior To Shake Hands

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—To silence doubters and demonstrate that the Metropolitan Opera Company is "one big happy family," Lauritz Melchior, the leading tenor, and Erich Leinsdorf, 27, Wagnerian conductor, will shake hands tonight—in person and in public—at the end of the first act of "Die Walkuere."

Neither Melchior, who was reported to have said that Leinsdorf was not sufficiently experienced to continue as Wagnerian conductor, nor Leinsdorf himself offered any comment.

Life's Darkest Moment

Third Term Action

By Mark Sullivan

Nominating Convention February 3.

IT WILL HAVE to come soon now, one way or another. Either information that Mr. Roosevelt is a candidate; or information that he is not. Lacking definite information from Mr. Roosevelt, lacking decision by him, we shall have light all the same.

Some important dates are ahead. February 3, the Democratic State Committee of Pennsylvania meets, in what is called a "nominating convention." The function of the committee is to "recommend" candidates for party nominations. Presumably Pennsylvania Senator Joseph F. Guffey, 100 per cent New Dealer, would like to have Mr. Roosevelt indorsed for a third term. Such an action, led by so devoted a Roosevelt adherent as Mr. Guffey, would tell its own story. There is sage wit in the remark of Mr. John M. Cummings of the Philadelphia Inquirer, that this Pennsylvania meeting occurs the day following February 2—date when the groundhog is supposed to emerge from his hole, sniff the air; observe the sun, or lack of sun; and make up his mind whether to become active or retire to continued hibernation.

February 5 comes the meeting of the Democratic National Committee, in Washington, to make arrangements for the national convention. Does any one suppose these 110 party potentates (2 from each State and Territory) are going to come to Washington, stay here two days, and go home without knowing whether Mr. Roosevelt is or is not?

Party Potentates Likely To Talk

THEY WILL know, regardless of whether he tells them. Some of them will call on him. They will focus all the keenness they have on his words, the intonations of his voice, the expression of his features. No amount of cryptic evasion, if Mr. Roosevelt takes that line, will fully mislead them. After they come out from the White House, they'll talk. At no time, in any Presidency, are there as many as ten men in the country who can talk with a President—and then resist the temptation to repeat the conversation. "He said." "I said."

There are other dates ahead, dates on which men must file to run for delegates to the national convention. In some States delegates must say, and in all must more or less know in their own minds, whom they are going to support for Presidential nominee. In various States, filing dates occur every few days throughout February and March. In any State, if a delegate or slate of delegates is filed in the interest of Mr. Roosevelt, and if he lets such action stand, the country will have light on his state of mind.

Every day that passes puts Mr. Roosevelt more and more in the attitude of equivocation, creates more and more confusion for his party.

What Mr. Roosevelt's course is doing is illustrated in Ohio. From that State the other day came a dispatch quoting local Democratic party officials as saying that the Ohio delegation would be for Mr. Roosevelt, or any one of his choice.

To accomplish that, if it is done, would require a prolonged, complex and obvious getting round the Ohio law. First, candidates for delegate cannot legally be for Mr. Roosevelt—unless Mr. Roosevelt has first given his consent in writing. That must be got around if the Ohio delegates are to be for Mr. Roosevelt.

Second, every candidate for delegate must say exactly who he is for. The Ohio law says:

"Each person seeking to be elected as delegate . . . to such national convention shall file . . . a statement in writing, signed by him, in which he shall state his first and second choice as candidate of his party for the Presidency of the United States . . . The name of such first and second choice for nomination as candidate for the Presidency . . . shall be printed on the primary ballots . . . in such a way as to clearly disclose the preference of each candidate [for delegate]."

Elaborate Pretense For Ohio Delegates

SO, IF THE Ohio delegation is to be for Mr. Roosevelt, 104 men (the delegates and alternates) must, in the plain sight of the public, go through an elaborate pretense. They must state they are for some one, let us say some "favorite son," call him Mr. Smith, as their first choice for the Presidential nomination—when in fact they are not for Mr. Smith but for Mr. Roosevelt. And that they are for, let us say Mr. Jones as their second choice—when in fact they are not for Mr. Jones.

This sort of getting round the primary law, by delegates saying they are for a "favorite son," is not unknown, and not disapproved in certain situations. It is not disapproved in situations in which delegates really do not know whom to be for, and sincerely wish to suspend judgment until the convention meets. But, to practice this device for the sake of keeping an open mind is one thing. It is another thing to practice it in the interest of a definite candidate, in this case Mr. Roosevelt—who could relieve the delegates from all this tergiversation by simply saying he is a candidate. Or could equally relieve them by saying he is not a candidate.

Keeping the country guessing may be fun for Mr. Roosevelt—if fun is his motive. But it is grief for his party, and for hundreds of party leaders, national and local. The ones who want him are embarrassed, are pushed into doubt and equivocation. Those who don't want him—who would like to be for some other candidate—are embarrassed.

One group who are embarrassed are Mr. Roosevelt's Cabinet. He has let five of them say they are for a third term, which will be a detriment to their future careers if the third term does not come off. The actions of these five puts the other five on a spot, the five, including Mr. Hull and Mr. Farley, who do not say they are for a third term, but cannot well say they are against it.

Canada's Election

By Our Ottawa Correspondent

Premier King Dissolves Parliament

Special Correspondence of The Post.

Ottawa.

CANADA has been suddenly plunged into a general election. Although the date of the polling has not been definitely fixed, it will take place some time about the end of March as a minimum of 52 days must elapse between the dissolution of the old Parliament and the election of its successor. So the politicians for the first time since 1891 will have to face the difficult electioneering conditions of a Canadian winter.

The decision of the King ministry to dissolve Parliament was kept a closely guarded secret. While an appeal to the country was expected in the near future, most members of Parliament and the general public were taken completely by surprise by its suddenness.

The immediate cause of the plunge, as Premier Mackenzie King explained in his speech to the House of Commons the other day, was a vote of censure passed last week by the provincial Legislature of Ontario which by 44 to 10 condemned the inadequacy and inefficiency of the war program of the King ministry.

Its sponsor was Premier Mitchell Hepburn, the stormy petrel of Canadian politics, who has long been a troublesome bedfellow for his Liberal allies at Ottawa. He has for years entertained a deep personal animosity for Premier King, which dates from the time that they sat together from 1926 to 1934 in the Federal Parliament, and they were at loggerheads over various questions before the war broke.

HOWEVER, Mr. Hepburn, a strong supporter of the war, made a gesture toward a concordat with the nominal leader last October by offering to attend a conference about war efforts at Ottawa. But he was offended that a more cordial response was not extended to his offer of cooperation. So he soon began to snipe at the King ministry in public utterances.

When the Ontario Legislature met and the question of a sale of Canadian wheat to Russia by the Canadian Wheat Board, a governmental agency, was raised, Mr. Hepburn criticized it and proceeded to make a vigorous attack upon the war policies of the King ministry and indulged in some spicy personal abuse of Mr. King.

In his charges he was supported by Col. Drew, the leader of the Conservative opposition. When the resolution moved by Mr. Hepburn was put to a vote 24 Liberals and 20 Conservatives supported it and 9 Liberals and 1 Independent Liberal voted against it. A large group of the 68 Liberals in the majority took a neutral attitude and abstained, as they did not want to condemn their federal leader.

But the vote of censure constituted a challenge, which Mr. King could not afford to disregard, and he issued a statement that he would answer the charges made against his ministry as soon as the Federal Parliament met on January 25.

WHEN IT DID meet the speech from the throne, which normally outlines the legislative and other plans of the government was abnormally brief, contained no mention of legislation and closed with a definite intimation that the government had reached the conclusion that it must fortify itself with a fresh mandate and proposed to appeal to the country immediately.

The impression created by this disclosure was that there would be a short session for the transaction of routine business and the passage of another budget before the election. But when the House of Commons assembled in its own chamber after the formal opening ceremony, Premier King rose immediately and proceeded to advance in a lengthy speech arguments for an immediate election.

He contended that vote of censure passed by the Ontario Legislature was the start of a concerted campaign of calumny against his government and that, if it was to prosecute the national war effort with any success it must be free from such distractions. He also contended that it would be better to get the election over before serious hostilities started on the Western Front in Europe and when it would be possible for the Canadian troops now training in England to exercise their suffrage. Incidentally, he revealed the intention of the government to send overseas in the near future the second division of the Canadian active service force and said that, if the election came soon, its members could vote before they left Canada.

WHEN HE had stated his case for immediate dissolution, he moved the adjournment of the Commons, but Dr. Manion, the Conservative leader, protested violently and claimed the right to answer the prime minister. To this the latter rather reluctantly agreed and Manion proceeded to make a fierce onslaught upon Mr. King for what he denounced as a piece of highhanded dictatorship smacking of Hitlerism.

He reminded Mr. King that the latter had given him a definite undertaking not to hold a general election without another session of Parliament and declared that the method being adopted was a farcical fulfillment of this pledge. He charged that the sudden dissolution was aimed to frustrate the investigations which the opposition groups had been planning through the normal parliamentary channels of the minister's numerous sins of omission and commission in connection with its war program and he proceeded to give chapter and verse for some of its delinquencies, winding up with a strong personal attack upon the new minister of national defense, Rogers, whom he declared to be less efficient than his demoted predecessor, Mr. Mackenzie.

Dr. Manion also accused the government of turning down British proposals for an air-training scheme made in 1937 and declared that if it had been put into operation, it could today have been turning out hundreds of trained aviators and that failure to start it had cost Canada a lot of war contracts. He closed with a prophecy that the country would resent what he described as the trickery of the government in trying to secure a snap verdict at the polls without giving members of Parliament an opportunity to get information which they wanted and discuss it and would sweep the government out of power.

MR. WOODSWORTH, the leader of the left-wing Canadian Commonwealth Federation, who followed, found himself for once in complete agreement with Dr. Manion and the reasoned indictment which he made of the government's course of action was even more effective than Manion's speech.

Miss Macphail, the solitary woman member of the Commons, had just risen when the dinner recess came, and before the House adjourned Mr. King made a brief observation that he intended to hold a cabinet meeting to discuss what their best course was "in the light of the kind of discussion we have listened to this afternoon." The cabinet met at once and soon afterward came the announcement that the governor-general has signed an order for the dissolution of Parliament. The debate was never resumed.

THE NEWS of the government's decision caused a great sensation in political and other circles. Ottawa buzzed with lively comment and speculation. Naturally strong partisans supported or condemned the government but the impression of impartial observers was that Mr. King in forsaking his usual tactics of cautious maneuver for position had taken a line which would have an unfavorable reception in the country.

It was recalled that in his statement about the vote of censure he had promised to answer the charges made against his government in Parliament and now his enemies would be able to say that he was running away and looking up the files which contained damning evidence because he was unable to answer them. The feeling is that he has gratuitously presented the Conservative and the two Leftist opposition groups with a real election issue which they had previously lacked and that although the Liberal Party has by far the most effective organization and will have ample campaign funds, it is now committed to a difficult defensive battle.

The press reaction to the government policy is mixed and in some degrees curious, for while Montreal Gazette, a Conservative paper, favors an immediate election, the Toronto Globe and Mail, which has been supporting the government, condemns its tactics and pronounces for a national government. The Winnipeg Free Press, the most influential Liberal paper in Canada, will support the government in the election but thinks that the tactics which it has adopted were a mistake and will do it harm with the voters.

The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

Truth In Advertising

The Federal Trade Commission is giving the Leaning-Over-Backward Demonstration of 1940. It is attacking an automobile company for "false and misleading advertising" in publishing the price of its low-priced car in the advertisements and using a picture of a more expensive model! Boy, are we getting pure!

Ever since the first Pilgrim tried to sell an antiseptic for arrow wounds it has been the American custom to go in for a little harmless ballyhoo.

Since the auto industry was in knee pants the ads have always shown the de luxe model and featured in big type the starting price in the whole line. Is there anybody outside a Federal commission who has ever been really deceived by that time-honored auto ad showing the be-oo-ti-ful old-rose colored de luxe sedan with wire wheels and with the price "$840" in big type adjacent to it?

Has anybody supposed he got the car in the picture? Not unless he was mentally befogged, brother.

In these auto ads—which are pretty lovely to look at, and a credit to the art of photoengraving, —an airedale or wolfhound is generally shown beside the car, as is a bewitching girl. Does Uncle Sam in his most righteous mood contend that thousands of Americans assume they get the girl and the dog, too, all for the $840?

"I wouldn't believe a Federal agency was after an auto concern on any such phoney, ridiculous and goofy charges if I hadn't seen it in the papers," declared Elmer Twitchell today. "It's plain screwy. Nobody's been fooled by that auto ad since the days of the chain-driven and steam-powered buggy. Everybody, short of a Federal agent, knows the price quotation is for the cheapest car and that it couldn't possibly apply to the de luxe model in pink and old gold.

"I'm for showing up fake advertising and protecting the public in the clinches, but this is plain silly. The Trade Commission might as well haul in a California fruit packer because the oranges in the magazine ads are more golden than the ones he sells; or pinch the maker of a wheatcake flour because the picture of a stack of wheats can't be lived up to in real life.

"Let's have honesty in advertising, yes," concluded Mr. Twitchell, "but let's be honest about our honesty, and show a little common sense about the whole business, even at the cost of letting American businessmen go a few days without any lambasting!"

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Off The Record

By Ed Reed

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Jelleff's

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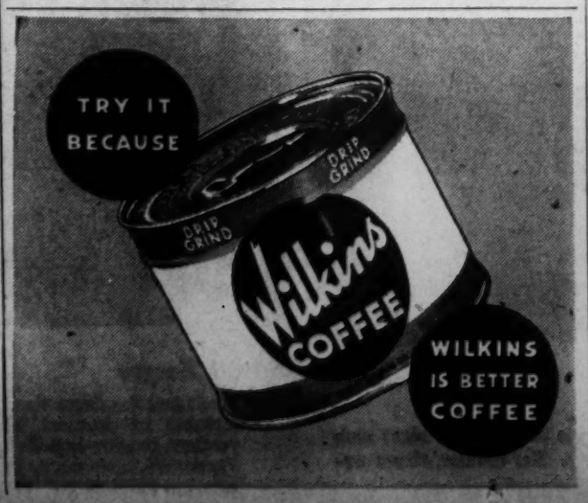

Lattice Backs

Springtime's sauciest fashions, stepped up by the smart, new pyramid heel. In patent-trimmed elasticized black gabardine.

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Capital Gets Permanent Art Exhibit

Recent completion of a series of murals by Indian artists in the Interior Department Building brings to Washington what is probably the Nation's finest permanent exhibit of indigenous American art.

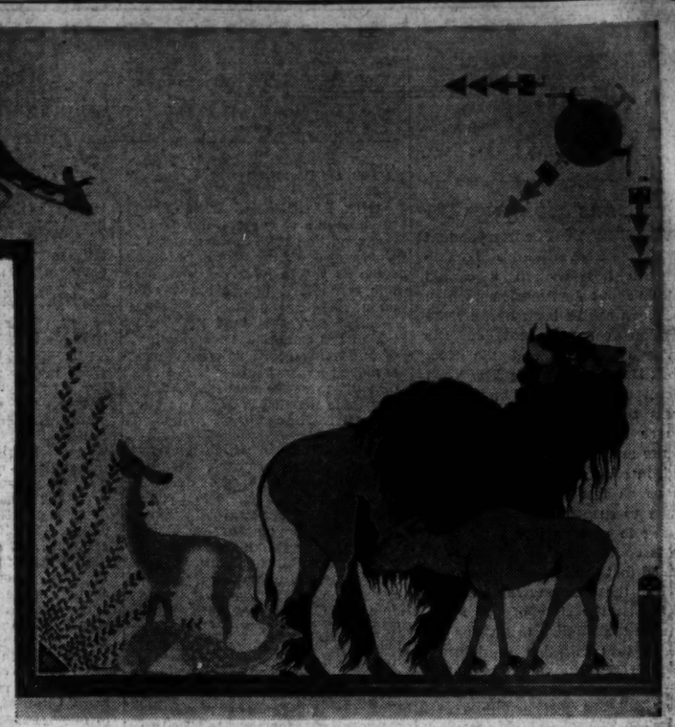
The murals are the work of six young Indians, all of whom received their training in schools operated by the Indian Service. They have completed 24 separate designs that cover more than 2,200 square feet of walls in the department's cafeteria and recreation room

Each artist has drawn from the experience of his own tribe, expressed either in symbolic designs of the past, or in scenes of contemporary reservation life.

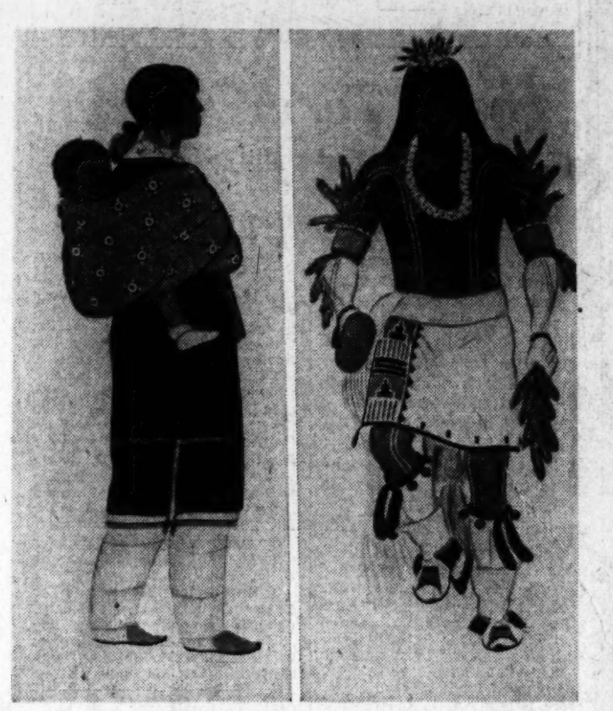
Tribes represented are Navajo, Pueblo de Zia, Apache, Potawatomi and Kiowa. The Apache, Allan Houser, is a great grandson of Geronimo. His paintings have been exhibited widely in this country and abroad.

The Kiowas, both full-blood, are James Auchiah and Steven Mopope. Their two murals, "Harvest Dance" and "Ceremonial Dance," that cover huge arches in the cafeteria, are in water colors, done in the old "dry plaster" technique. In addition to being skilled painters, both men are gifted dancers, and took part in The Post's National Folk Festival held last April in Constitution Hall

Above is the overall decoration, "Hunting Animals," by the young Navajo artist, Gerald Nailor.



Women's group in Apache Round Dance, from a full-sized mural in the recreation room of the new Interior Department Building. Allan Houser, Apache artist, descendant of Chief Geronimo, painted this one



Two of Herrera's figures decorating the recreation room of the new Interior Building, a Pueblo mother (left) and Pueblo ceremonial dancer (right)

Nell Courtney, Lilly Botone (seated) and Marie Tineyuyah (standing), listen to James Auchiah and Steven Mopope, Kiowa Indian artists, explain one of their works. Mopope was a leader of the Kiowa dancers in last year's National Folk Festival

"Buffalo Hunt," one of twenty-four designs by Pueblo Artist Velino Herrera

Also called "Buffalo Hunt," this mural was done by Woodrow Crumbo, of the Potawatomi tribe

In Focus:

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Associated Press WIREPHOTOS.

She's Dancing Her Way Through College

Attractive Toni Darnell, 19, dances for guests of Harry's New Yorker night club and studies during the day at Northwestern University. Her brother, also a student at Northwestern, helps with her lessons

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Musical Merger

Music and the dance floor temporarily merge two great fortunes as Countess Barbara Hutton Haugwitz-Reventlow, the five-and-dime heiress, and Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, sportsman, swing out at a swank society resort at Palm Beach

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Film Editor Takes Starlet as Bride

Maris Wrixon, 22-year-old actress, and Rudolf Fehr, 28-year-old film editor, were married at the Hollywood ranch home of Henry Blanke, the producer. Fehr came to the United States four years ago from Germany. She is a native of Great Falls, Mont.

They're Dancing Tonight in These Birthday Gowns

Among the lovely sights at the President's Birthday celebrations tonight will be Mrs. William Boyd, of Hollywood, shown at left in the priceless wrap of rare albino ermine, which she wears over a peg-topped black crepe sheath. It took 16 years of globe trotting to discover sufficient "freak" cream-colored ermines to make this fabulous coat. Above are two simple, yet appealing, frocks that the junior miss contingents will wear. Gloria Lee Brandt, 14, posed in a filmy net (left), jacketed and banded in pomegranite stripes, and at right in a red, white and blue flowered taffeta

Mary Haworth's Mail

Engaged Couple Discuss Their Future Relationship; Girl Is Shocked By Man's Ideas; Should They Wed?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Last summer I was introduced to a young man three years my senior, a fellow employe in one of the Government departments. The meeting appeared to be love at first sight for both. On last Thanksgiving Day we became engaged and the following evening I received my ring. I was very happy.

Prior to that, we had been seeing each other on an average of four evenings a week. After that, we were togethr almost nightly and we seemed to be thoroughly compatible. During this period we never allowed our lovemaking to get out of bounds, although I confess we indulged (perhaps too frequently) in intimate petting to an intensely ardent degree.

Our wedding date has been set for late in February and naturally enough, on a recent evening, the conversation turned to children and the marital relationship . . . My fiance's ideas, frankly stated, of what would constitute (for him) a satisfactory relationship, have frightened me into a horror of going through with the intended marriage. However, I am still greatly in love with him. Tell me, what shall I do? Would a marriage based on such a conflict of ideas end in disaster? I shall appreciate an early reply. Time is short and your word shall decide me.

DUMFOUNDED.

Emotional Morality Has a Touchstone

DEAR DUMFOUNDED: Get a doctor's or a psychiatrist's opinion as to whether your fiance's expectations are vicious or your revulsion is finicky; or whether this is rather a case of hopeless disparity between a pagan and a puritan, each of whom might be considered "normal" in his different way.

Experts on marital relations seem agreed, in general, that any emotional pattern in marriage which is not mutually acceptable is mutually impoverishing, and distinctly injurious to the partner whose sensibilities it offends. Conversely, they hold that the touchstone of emotional morality in marriage is to be found in the reciprocal psychological benefits (if any) it confers upon the partners, rather than in the technique of expression. Thus, if an individualistic but mutually acceptable pattern promotes conjugal unity and harmony, it may be adjudged morally and psychologically "right" for the couple concerned.

Assuredly your marriage would end in disaster if you were to attempt—ignorantly, shrinkingly yet hopefully,—to submit yourself to a husband whose philosophy of love horrifies and frightens you. The intellectual conflict that has been declared must be reviewed in advance of marriage, by a competent analyst of human behavior, if a tragic experience is to be averted. Both you and your fiance may need instruction in mental and emotional hygiene; and both may respond to sound instruction to such an extent that a happy marriage will eventuate. But it would be indescribable folly to marry until you know what the current impasse implies.

M.H.

For "Good" Contacts, Join "The Right Church"

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Your lumped suggestions (of January 25) to "B. F. B."—who asks how to become acquainted with the better educated and more refined class of persons here—contained some good "leads," but were not concise enough. For instance, to join just any church will not help him. But to join the right church in the right neighborhood will. St. Albans on Wisconsin and Massachusetts avenues has a congregation of young people from the more cultured families in the Northwest section of the city. To get into the young people's group there would be a definite help in making good contacts.

Also, by joining an evening class at George Washington University, in some subject of special interest, he would meet more serious minded girls who are doing worthwhile things. (Whether they would be pretty, I don't know. Brains and beauty don't always go hand in hand.)

You might pass these suggestions along to him for what they may be worth. I personally find it heartening to know that there are young men who want to meet girls on a plane of stimulating mental companionship, instead of being content with an indiscriminate "necking" relationship,—which seems in this day to be the generally accepted bond between young manhood and young womanhood.

E. M.

Says Government Girls Neglect Their Looks

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I read with much interest the letter from "B. F. B.," published January 25, because, while I am a "girl Government worker," I agree with him thoroughly, that the majority of womer workers in the Government do not possess much in the way of beauty. Nor do they pay sufficient attention to their personal appearance and clothes. They simply dress to protect their bodies, giving no thought to individuality of styling which might accentuate their good points.

I'm French and inherit an appreciation of good clothes. I enjoy the feeling of well-being which they impart. I have a good wardrobe, including evening and sports clothes, and enjoy dressing for dinner, but among Washington's "Government worker" class, "dressing for dinner" is a luxury seldom indulged.

Incidentally, I shall be eligible shortly for a transfer back home. I'm eagerly awaiting the day. For life in the "big city," with all the cultural and recreational opportunities which the Nation's Capital affords, amounts to little without a circle of friends. I've been very lonely. My social activities have included occasional evenings at the theater, the movies and concerts, and at the Library of Congress, usually alone . . . I can't quite understand Washington. As "B. F. B." points out, the "social contact" problem is definitely a "community" one.

GIRL READER.

Party Games For Valentine's

A Valentine party in Leap Year! What a chance for a lot of romantic games and stunts! And grand fun is this Leap Year version of "Famous Lovers."

Give to each girl a red pasteboard heart, on one side of which is written the name of the feminine half of a pair of famous lovers. Her missing mate? Up to her to lure him out of hiding—in true Leap Year style.

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Juliet wins her Romeo by crying "Wherefore art thou?" Scarlett gets Rhett with a flirtatious "fiddle-de-dee," a Southern drawl. Carmen lures her Toreador with a Spanish dance.

What if no one guesses? The girl exerts her Leap Year privilege of choosing her man outright.

Another Valentine game that's grand fun is "Hearts in Waltz Time." Pin paper hearts here and there on the wall, a heart for each player except one. As you start a popular waltz tune, players start dancing, singly. When after a few measures you stop the music, each player must rush to the wall and put a hand on a heart. The player who finds no heart is dubbed "heartless," retires to a corner.

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The Gentler Sex

By MALVINA LINDSAY

Cupid's Aide

AS THE NEWLY elected sweetheart of Alpha Zany Moo, Mrs. Henrietta DeGoofey greeted reporters at her press conference yesterday.

Mrs. DeGoofey

"This great honor came to me as a total surprise," said the famous founder and president of the Do Something About It League as she proudly displayed the fraternity pin on her bosom. "However, for some strange reason, men have always been attracted to me without any effort on my part."

"What is your secret of charm, Mrs. DeGoofey?" asked a civic association editor.

"I have never been able to explain it myself," was the reply. "Everywhere I go men always have flocked about me—even pursued me. Frequently I find myself being followed in department stores, hotel lobbies, along the streets, by mysterious foreign looking men. On street cars and buses, at the theater, in tea shoppes, even in church, men Only yesterday in the genealogical embarrass me by their stares. division of the Library of Congress, a man made such marked advances toward me that I had to call a guard. I have even hesitated about taking a South American cruise on account of the reported aggressiveness of the Latin men."

"Are you absolutely sure, Mrs. DeGoofey, that you do not unconsciously encourage these men?" asked a love counselor.

"Absolutely! I was brought up by Puritan parents and always have kept—at least tried to keep—men at a distance. Nor am I so vain as to think that it is my beauty that is responsible. The only explanation I can make of this phenomenon is that I must possess a certain something that magnetically attracts men."

Hope Held Out To 'Non-Magnetic'

"Then you do not think it possible for every woman to be alluring to men?" asked a beauty editor.

"Oh, yes I do! Any woman can be popular—even though she is not a born charmer. So convinced of that am I that I am going to make the promotion of romance one of my major projects of 1940."

"Will you offer bonuses to bridal couples?" eagerly asked a copy boy.

"No, indeed! I shall concentrate on helping the women who have not already bagged their men." was the reply. "I intend to open shortly a class in husband hunting at the headquarters of the Do Something About It League. In this I shall expound the primary principles of how to win men."

"How?" chorused the newspaper women.

"Well, speaking from my own experience, I would say that the first rule in getting a man was to go where men were."

"But I thought you said you never ran after men," protested a club editor.

"I most certainly have never pursued a man—but on the other hand, I did not run too fast when he pursued me. And while I knew I possessed this natural attraction for men, I also realized that I could not exercise it unless I placed myself where men were."

"So I should say that the woman who wants more men in her life should first of all make herself accessible to them. If she works in an office she should frequent the halls and corners where men congregate. She should manage to pass by their desks frequently with a cheery greeting, loiter around the door when she is departing, or frequent the drug store or greasy spoon where they eat their lunches or get their afternoon cokes.

Allure Technique In Social Life

"If she is not in an office she should make the most of her time at parties—take her stance as close as possible to where the drinks are served, stay on the outskirts of all the feminine groups or occasionally wander off alone to look at the moon or to get a breath of air.

"There are still other ways by which a woman may make herself accessible to men. She may take up sports in which they exclusively engage—as polo, fly-fishing, big game hunting. Or, she may take up a new career, such as plumbing, ironmongering, deep-sea diving in which she will meet men and at the same time have little or no feminine competition."

"But Mrs. DeGoofey, how about bagging a man after you have located him?" asked a veteran sob sister. "Now I have been around men in newspaper offices all my life and yet——"

"That is a lecture in itself," was the reply. "I will go into that more fully later in my campaign."

"Campaign!" exclaimed a political writer. "Do you intend to inject the allure issue into your campaign for President?"

"Indeed I do!" replied Mrs. DeGoofey. "One of my campaign pledges will be, 'two men in the pot for every woman.' However, more of that later. You must excuse me now as I have promised to go skiing with some of the Alpha Zany Moo boys."

Barnard Girls Are Weight Conscious

The Higher Learning Shows Way to Lower Avoirdupois at College

By Ida Jean Kain

ALL GIRLS usually want to be prettier . . . and all women usually want to stay young longer! And the way things are working out, it looks as if both these feminine desires are going to be furfilled.

Dr. Gulielma F. Alsop, physician to Barnard College, which is

one of the country's educational melting pots, never came right out and made any such promises. Dr. Alsop merely said, in effect, that each crop of freshmen seems to have better teeth and nicer skin. The abundant use of vitamins is creating a different kind of person—not just one who is not sick, but one who is full of vitality and good humor and who stays young longer. The alumnae who returns for visits looks incredibly young.

All Weight Conscious

The young girls take milk and cod liver oil for granted and they get an astonishing amount of exercise in sports. Every one of them is weight conscious. They want to be neither too fat nor too thin. An average of 50 girls visit the doctor's office each day to check up on the scales.

The appalling thing, the girls find, is the low calorie cost of brainwork! You will probably share their disappointment . . . The extra calories needed for one hour of intense mental work would be completely met by eating half a peanut! Here are some of the energy requirements given by Dr. Sherman, which will enable you to estimate your calorie needs for the day:

Sitting, at rest, takes only .65 calories per pound per hour; reading aloud, .69 calories; knitting, at the rate of 23 stitches per minute, .74 calories; typing rapidly, .91 calories; sleeping, .43 calories per pound per hour.

Exercise Helps Them

Most of us sit a good percentage of the time and sleep the rest of the time. You are lucky if you get one hour's vigorous exercise—count it, roughly, at 3 calories per pound per hour! College girls usually get much more than that amount daily and that is the reason they have so few weight problems.

When a calorie cut becomes necessary, desserts are the first foods to go—they are the extras. A quart of milk is the basis of the day's menu. In addition to the quart of milk, each girl is supposed to have daily: one egg, two vegetables and six pieces of fruit. Bread should be the whole grain variety—Dr. Alsop says the darker, the better. Pumpernickel is very good.

Those foods total about 1,700 calories. They are the ones which the Barnard beauties give first place on their menus and the ones which every growing girl should have.

A Woman's New York

By Alice Hughes

New York, Jan. 29.

EVERYBODY likes to extend a helping hand to struggling young talent, and I had a small chance to stick out my paddle the other night. Lyolene, the dress designer, has a brilliant protege on the fiddle—a 19-year-old lad named Paul Makanovitsky, and a friend of mine opened his beautiful old house on Gramercy Park for a musicale, so that we could corral a group of people that might be helpful to the lad's budding career.

Alice Hughes

Well, I don't know how well that turned out, but we did have an interesting gathering, including the head of America's biggest music publishing house. Even so, help is in sight for Paul, who made his American concert debut a few weeks ago, with great notices. Born in Sweden of Russian parents, he's here to continue his studies and make money—living in a furnished room, practicing all day. His pianist was Ivor Newton. Britisher just back from a world tour.

From a musical standpoint, something new happened. Among the guests was a slight, short young fellow wearing horn-rimmed cheaters, who looked a good deal like a medical student or a mathematics shark. But he was Buddy Adler, the virtuoso of the harmonica—better known in London than in his native America. His mouth-organ tootling enraptures the British, and he plays Bach as well as Berlin. After Paul's serious fiddling was over, we persuaded Larry to yank out his harmonica, no doubt a Stradivarius, and the two played the darndest fiddle and mouth organ duets you can imagine. And no cheap-jack stuff either—you should have heard them go at a Brahms sonata. The two instruments complement each other remarkably. Unearthly beautiful music comes out.

Adler is a sound musician—in the midst of Brahms, Paul would yell despairingly, "He knows it better than I do!" Maybe we didn't get a big stake for Paul, but we heard wondrous fiddle and harmonica duets, maybe the first ever played!

GIRL ABOUT TOWN: Sonja Henie left us with her outsize handbag jammed with large greenbacks. Standing room only for every performance of her skate show. It is agreed that the nifty Norse woman is the first sports woman in history to salt down $1,000,000 in the bank from her professional activities. What a skater, what a cutie, what a catch!

Miriam Hopkins, the blonde Georgia peach, has been around town a lot, and reestablishing her position as America's fastest and most constant talker. Even on the dance floor little Mimsy holds forth eloquently, and it takes a mighty powerful band to overcome her. There's a girl who requires a mighty good listener in the gentleman-friend line—but, she never lacks for one, here.

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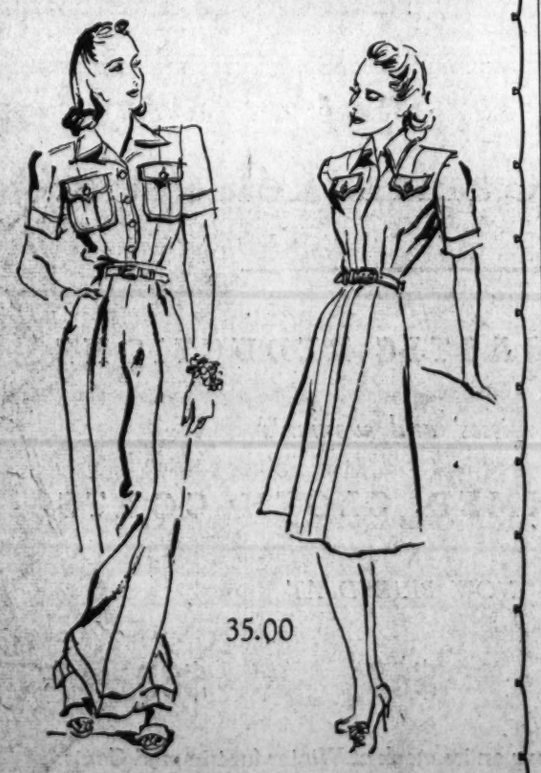

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Mrs. O'Day Hostess At Party for Stars

Senators Come Early and Stay Late For Look at Glamour Contingent; Mickey Rooney, Brenda Joyce on Hand

The uniformed servants at the Mayflower yesterday pointing the way to Representative Caroline O'Day's party in honor of the movie stars weren't a bit necessary—all you had to do was follow the line of shrieking "kiddies" ganged up in the lobby waiting for a look at Mickey Rooney, or the flashlight bulbs which went off regularly every few minutes.

Leading Senators came early and stayed late for a look at the glamour contingent here for the President's Birthday Ball last evening. Also a lot of other people seemed to have drifted in evidently unaware that it was a private party.

The buffet table in the center of the Mayflower diningroom was swept clean as early as 6:30. Earlier it was stocked with beaten biscuits, thin bread and butter sandwiches, and large cold hams which were being sliced for the guests. One woman was overheard to observe:

"Now that we've met the stars, let's start at this corner of the table and work all the way round it."

Mickey Rooney snatched bites at a cold salad between autograph signing. He then drifted over to the nonalcoholic punch end of the bar, above which a huge sign said "No!" At the other end, where highballs were served, a similar sign read "Yes!"

Senators Gape At Stars

Olivia De Havilland was surrounded by autograph seekers, and looked handsome in a black velvet suit with a tiny pale blue feather turban. She carried a muff of the feathers. Brenda Joyce sat at the table with Mickey, wearing a black and white plaid dress and a corsage of orchids. Also present was the mother of the late Jean Harlow, who wore a pale green dress with chinchilla sleeves.

Seen here and there in the shuffle:

Senator Alben Barkley, who last year shyly asked for an autograph of William Powell at the celebration . . . Senator Theodore Green telling lively Representative Edith Nourse Rogers that she cheered him up . . . Mrs. Charles McNary in a long coat of skunk and a little turban.

Mrs. O'Day, in black with a rope of pearls, posing for photographers with Mickey and Brenda Joyce . . . Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Feis wondering where Dorothy Lamour was . . . Mrs. Lawrence Wood Robert, jr., who will entertain at her own "birthday bawl" this afternoon for little Alice Robert, proceeds to go to the Warm Springs Foundation . . . Mrs. Warren Austin, wearing a wine red dress and carrying her mink coat over her arm . . . Mrs. Bennett Champ Clark being introduced to the stars by Alan Corelli, executive secretary of the Theater Authority in New York. He is always on hand when actors' benefits are going on, and flew back to New York last night to be with Gertrude Lawrence when she appeared for the relief of Finland.

Miss O'Day Assists Mother

Mrs. Irene Caldwell was telling friends how hard her committee worked selling tickets at the Mayflower for tonight's ball. Also noted were Mrs. J. Fred Essary and her daughter, Peggy; the Naval Attache of the Brazilian Embassy and Senhora de Araujo and the Commercial Counselor, Paulo Hasslocher, who was accompanied by his son.

Mrs. O'Day's daughter, Miss Elia O'Day, was also on hand, and wore a black outfit with a becoming hat to match. All in all, though a bit crowded, it was a "glamour" afternoon for Washingtonians who really got the impression that they were actually in Hollywood.

There were many children on hand at the party, all clutching autograph books which the stars obligingly signed.

Mr. Morgan Heads Ball Committee

Thomas P. Morgan, jr., who will accompany Mrs. Roosevelt on her rounds of the birthday balls tonight, is also chairman of the floor committee at the ball at the Wardman Park. Assisting him are Edgar Morris and Chauncey G. Parker, jr.

Receiving at the hotel tonight will be the wives of two of the District Commissioners, Mrs. George E. Allen and Mrs. David McCoach, jr., also Mrs. Edgar Morris and Mrs. Riley E. Elgen.

Miss Drane Wed To Mr. Temple

With the bridegroom's father officiating, Miss Maria Drane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brent Skinner Drane, yesterday became the bride of the Rev. Gray Temple, of Tarboro, N. C., son of the Rev. Charles H. Temple and Mrs. Temple, of Edgewood, R. I. The ceremony took place at 4 o'clock at the Bethlehem Chapel of the Washington Cathedral. The bridegroom's father is the rector of the Church of the Transfiguration in Edgewood.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin damask, with her hair by a chaplet of orange blossoms.

Mrs. Pembroke Nash, of Tarboro, N. C., sister of the bride, was the matron of honor and only attendant. She was gowned in tropic sea-green faille taffeta, and carried an arm bouquet of dark red carnations.

Baltimore Cleric Is the Best Man

The Rev. Samuel C. W. Fleming, of Baltimore, Md., was the best man and the ushers were Robert Brent Drane, of Winston-Salem, N. C., brother of the bride; the Rev. M. George Henry and Pembroke Nash, of Tarboro, N. C., and the Rev. Ernest H. Williams, of Berryville, Va.

Immediately following the ceremony there was a reception for relatives and out-of-town guests. The mother of the bride wore fuschia colored crepe with hat and accessories to match and the bridegroom's mother was gowned in French blue crepe.

Couple to Live In Tarboro

Assisting at the reception were Miss Anna Brooke Allan, of Richmond, Va.; Miss Margaret Walker, of Summerville, S. C.; Miss Emily Thomas, of Charleston, S. C.; Mrs. George Henry, of Tarboro, N. C.; Mrs. Thomas H. Wright, of Lexington, Va.

When the couple left for their wedding journey the bride was wearing a gold-colored wool dress, navy green coat, hat and accessories. The couple will make their home in Tarboro.

The bride was graduated from St. Mary's School and Junior College, Raleigh, N. C., and was a special student at George Washington University. Rev. Temple was graduated from Brown University and the Virginia Theological Seminary.

Mrs. Keyes on Way To New Orleans

Mrs. Frances Parkinson Keyes, the widely known novelist, is now on her way to New Orleans, having left Washington on Sunday night. After spending several days there she will go to Columbus, Miss., to give several lectures, beginning on February 6, at the Mississippi State College.

Later Mrs. Keyes plans to go to Natchez, Miss., to be the guest of Mrs. William Kendall. She will return to Washington the middle of February.

The Reynoldses to Sail

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Reynolds will sail Wednesday from Los Angeles, on the Steamship Mariposa, for Australia. They will return to Washington early in April.

Visits West Point

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Miss Katherine Hazen O'Toole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Edward O'Toole, who left Washington on Saturday for West Point, where she attended the hop and week-end festivities

About The Town

With Dudley Harmon

WHOEVER THINKS Washington society is mostly small-talk-and-cookies could never include the Gifford Pinchots among that type of host. The Pinchots like to give parties where discussions and conversations are the main features of the evening, and last night they staged a Town Hall sort of affair with the Finnish Minister, Hjalmar Procope, as the star.

The guests were invited to ask questions about the situation in Finland now, and the Minister gave answers which told facts hitherto unrevealed in the newspapers, but which, he warned the audience, were "off the record." Those present included many New Dealers and Republican members of Congress who are ordinarily too busy or indifferent to swim about in the social whirl where most of the diplomats shine.

PRESENT WERE such Administration-ites as Laughlin Currie, one of the President's anonymous assistants; Leon Henderson, of the Securities and Exchange Commission; Mrs. Stanley Reed, and Mrs. J. Fred Essary. Democratic Senator Theodore Green was an early arrival and others of the Democratic persuasion were Representative and Mrs. Robert Allen, of Pennsylvania, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Durr.

On the Republican side were Robert Woods Bliss, former Ambassador to Argentina; Representative Ralph Brewster, of Maine, who is running for Senator this summer; Mrs. Brewster, handsome and cheerful Representative Edith Nourse Rogers, and several others.

Representative Sol Bloom served as chairman for the program, leading the questions, while Mrs. Bloom, in fuschia taffeta, beamed approvingly on him from a sofa.

THE GUESTS gathered in the long living room of the Pinchots' house on Rhode Island avenue—where Mr. Pinchot's father originally made his home many years ago. There are two fireplaces and the four walls are completely lined with books—we counted 3,000 of them and then gave up.

In keeping with the size of the room is the Pinchots' Great Dane, who stretched his enormous length in front of the fireplace and yawned continually. But nobody else did, as the handsome minister was so eloquent that everybody was sorry to hear him stop talking.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cushman Coyle, Mr. and Mrs. Barnet Nover, Mrs. Leon Henderson, in a becoming dress with a fuschia top and a lavender skirt, were among others present. The First Secretary of the Finnish Legation and Mme. Solanko and the Military Attache, Col. Per Zilliacus, to whom is attributed the epic remark, "We can't fight the Bolsheviks with sandwiches," were also there and helped answer questions and point out spots of interest on the map.

NO HOUSE GUEST at the Executive Mansion ever runs the risk of flagging in keeping up with his energetic hosts. A recent week-ender there tells us that the coffee cups used at breakfast are five times as large as the ordinary kind. It seems that once a guest complained that the White House coffee containers were far too small, so Mrs. Roosevelt ordered these from a large and not very expensive New York store.

MORE SOUTHERN NOTES: Mr. and Mrs. Jouett Shouse will go all the way to Cuba to get warm, and plan to leave about the middle of next month . . . They are at the Mayflower until their departure . . . The Thacher Winslows have a trip to Mexico mapped out, but don't expect to go until March. They will be away several months.

Dinner Is Given For the Edisons By Mrs. Palmer

Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer, who makes her home at the Shoreham Hotel, entertained last evening at dinner in honor of the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Charles Edison.

Guests included the Attorney General and Mrs. Robert H. Jackson, Senator and Mrs. Millard Tydings, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Mrs. Walter DeNegre, Mr. and Mrs. Max Truitt, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Roberts, jr., Dr. Kemper Simpson, Ray Oveson of Boston; the former Governor of Pennsylvania and Mrs. George H. Earle and Representative Sam Rayburn.

Tafts Entertain For Governor And Mrs. Bricker

Ohioans got together yesterday afternoon when Senator and Mrs. Taft entertained at tea in honor of their Governor and Mrs. John W. Bricker, who spent the day here. They came especially to attend a dinner given last night by the Ohio Society to celebrate the birthday anniversary of President McKinley.

Mrs. Taft was assisted yesterday by the wives of the Ohio delegation in Congress and members of the State Society. Pouring tea were Mrs. William E. Hess, Mrs. Charles H. Elston, Mrs. Thomas Jenkins, Mrs. Dudley White, Mrs. L. L. Marshall and Mrs. John M. Vorys.

Mrs. Roosevelt Reveals Busy Week Ahead

First Lady to Greet Film Stars; Honors Young Prince Bertil

Entertaining movie stars and royalty and finding beds for delegates to a forthcoming Youth Congress meeting here are occupying much of Mrs. Roosevelt's time this week, she revealed yesterday at her weekly press conference.

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt and young Prince Bertil of Sweden yesterday afternoon renewed an acquaintance begun at a Hyde Park picnic. The Prince, who is in Washington on a purchasing mission for his government, was accompanied to tea at the White House by his aides and several members of the staff of the mission. A son of Crown Prince Gustav Adolf, the Prince and his family were entertained at Hyde Park when they visited this country a year ago last summer to celebrate the tercentenary of the first Swedish settlement here.

Movie Stars Feted at Luncheon

Today the large group of glamorous movie stars here for the President's Birthday Ball will be entertained at luncheon by the First Lady and the President will receive them in his study during their visit to the White House. There will be a small dinner at the Executive Mansion in honor of his birthday and that of Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, jr., who celebrates hers the same day. Afterwards the First Lady will visit every hotel at which a birthday ball is in progress.

The First Lady is taking an active interest in the forthcoming meeting of the Citizenship Institute, an organization sponsored by the American Youth Congress, which will converge on the Capital February 9 for a three-day convention. The convention will discuss questions of particular interest to youth and will hold meetings in the auditorium of the Department of Labor.

As the great majority of the 3,000 delegates expected are anything but wealthy, Mrs. Roosevelt is busying herself trying to find lodgings for them during their stay in the Capital. Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, wife of the Secretary of the Treasury, and Mrs. Harry Woodring, wife of the Secretary of War, will take in several, and the First Lady also wrote to Mrs. John Nance Garner and Mrs. William Bankhead asking if they knew of any Congressional wives who might be interested in putting up some delegates. Mrs. Bankhead sent a check, explaining that she didn't have any extra beds.

Luncheon, Musicale On White House Schedule

A large and formal luncheon for ladies will be the big feature of tomorrow's social schedule at the White House. Later in the afternoon, Mrs. Roosevelt will entertain members of the International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission at tea. That evening she will go to the dinner being held by the National Capital Park and Planning Commission, in which the President's uncle, Frederic Delano, is interested.

Mrs. Roosevelt will drop in for a few moments at the reception the Secretary of State and Mrs. Cordell Hull will give on Thursday afternoon at the Carlton for members of the Diplomatic Corps. On Friday she will go to New York to attend the annual newspaper women's ball that evening.

Both the First Lady and the President will spend Saturday and Sunday at Hyde Park. Mrs. Roosevelt will be back here Monday morning to preside over the conference being held by the National Youth Administration on jobs for women. Delegates, who will number about 100, will meet that morning in the East Room of the White House.

There will be another in the series of musicales Mrs. Roosevelt has been giving on Monday afternoon. That evening she will attend the opening at the National Museum of an exhibit called "Tomorrow's Citizen," arranged by the social studies committee of the American Association of University Women. Mrs. Roosevelt will speak that night at a meeting of the Professional Writers Club.

Mrs. Beauregard Arrives in U. S.

Mrs. A. Toutant Beauregard, wife of Capt. Beauregard, of the United States Navy, chief of the Naval Mission in Rio de Janeiro, arrived on Sunday, in New York, aboard the S. S. Brazil and is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph W. Mullally, in Annapolis. Due to the death of their mother, Mrs. Edward S. Munford, in Annapolis, on December 19, Mrs. Beauregard and Mrs. Mullally are not accepting social engagements.

Mrs. Beauregard will leave tomorrow for California, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Porter Bedell, wife of Lieut. Bedell, United States Navy., at Long Beach. Mrs. Beauregard will rejoin her husband in Rio de Janiero within a month or two.

Mrs. Mullally will leave Annapolis tomorrow to spend the remainder of the winter in Miami.

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Mrs. Amos A. Fries, wife of Maj. Gen. Fries, who is chairman of the women's committee for the 1940 President's Birthday Celebration. Despite the fact that she has been a patient at Walter Reed Hospital for the past month, she has continued to send out letters and direct the activities of her committee

Mrs. Truxtun Beale Has Party After Archaeological Meeting

Members of Society and Speaker Are Entertained at Decatur House Following Lecture by Dr. Hrdlicka

By Elizabeth Henney

Following the 209th meeting of the Archaeological Society last evening, Mrs. Truxtun Beale entertained the members and the speaker at a reception at her home, Decatur House, at 748 Jackson place.

Earlier in the evening, at 9 o'clock, the meeting of the society took place at the Brookings Institution at 722 Jackson place.

Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, curator of the U. S. National Museum, division of physical anthropology at the Smithsonian Institution, gave a slide lecture on "The Real Indian." In the absence of the president of the society, Wade H. Ellis, Mrs. Mitchell Carroll, director of the society, presided at the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis were able to be there later in the evening.

During the meeting Mrs. Carroll read a letter from the British Ambassador, Lord Lothian, accepting membership in the society. Each newly arriving British Ambassador has always been offered honorary membership in the society.

At the conclusion of the meeting the guests walked the few doors to Mrs. Beale's home and were greeted in the candle-lighted drawing room.

Finished in 1818, the first house to face Lafayette Square, Decatur House was built by Commodore Stephen Decatur with the prize money awarded him for subduing the Barbary pirates. It is still lighted with candles throughout, whose flickering glow cast shadows on the soft patina of rare old furnishings. Over the mantel is a mirror frame carved from the timbers of the frigate Congress, on which Lieut. Edward Beale, father of the late Truxtun Beale, made his first voyage.

Among the guests last evening were the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Adolph Berle, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hurja, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Robert Lincoln O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Morris, Dr. and Mrs. James G. McKay, Judge and Mrs. William Jennings Price, Dr. Constantin McGuire, Dr. and Mrs. James Alexander Lyon and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon King.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Carroll, Mrs. Arthur Tirrell, Mr. and Mrs. Corrin Strong, Miss Daisy Prentice, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Leland, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Meigs, Dr. S. B. Muncaster, Miss Bessie Kibbey, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons Erwin and Dr. and Mrs. George S. Duncan.

Mrs. Ferrandon Off For the Mardi Gras

Mrs. Alfred H. Ferrandou left Washington last evening for New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras and will return to town late in February.

Mrs. Ferrandou will be the house guest of the Misses Mary and Anne Ford in New Orleans.

Mrs. Townsend Gives Luncheon After Concert

Cech Minister Is Ranking Guest; Party Includes Artists

The Minister of Czecho-Slovakia and Mme. Hurban were the ranking guests at Mrs. Lawrence Townsend's luncheon yesterday at the Mayflower following her musicale. The artists of the program, who also were at the luncheon, were Miss Suzanne Sten, John Seagle and Emile Baume.

Several ladies from the diplomatic corps were among Mrs. Roosevelt's guests in her box at the concert. They included Senhora de Martins, wife of the Brazilian Ambassador; Senora de Ecalante, wife of the envoy from Venezuela, and Donna Elly Colonna, wife of the Italian Ambassador. Mrs. Harry H. Woodring and Mrs. Harold L. Ickes completed the party.

Guests from the diplomatic group present at Mrs. Townsend's luncheon included, besides the Hurbans, Col. Rene P. G. Weiser, Air Attache of the French Embassy, and Mme. Weiser; the Third Secretary of the Embassy and Mme. Lucet, and Aural de Alth, of the Hungarian Legation.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur J. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Otis E. Taylor, of New York; Princess Boncompagni, Mrs. Charles M. Lea, Miss Dorothy Tirrell, Miss Elizabeth Howry, Mrs. John Seagle, Mrs. Worthington Luke and her sister, Mrs. William J. Coad, jr., of Omaha; Mrs. William Powell, William K. Ryan, Waverly Taylor, Edward Flournoy, Eben F. Comins, George Williams, Leo Taubman and Nathan Price.

Another hostess after the musicale was Mrs. Frederick Mitchell Gould, of New York and Newport, who is spending the winter in Washington. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, Dr. and Mrs. James A. Lyon and Judge and Mrs. Clarence Norton Goodwin.

Italy America Society Meets

Walter D. Davidge, vice president, presided at the meeting of the Italy America Society last evening at the Mayflower in the absence of Col. George B. McClellan, the president, who is suffering from a cold.

Dr. John T. Latimer gave an illustrated talk, "Camera Notes to Ancient History," from material gathered in Italy the past two summers when he was there as American director of the Summer Classical School in Naples. The meeting was held in the East Room of the hotel and was followed by a hot supper.

The Italian Ambassador and Donna Elly Colonna were accompanied by Signor Eugenio Bonardelli, counselor of emigration, and Signora Bonardelli, Count Guerino Roberti and Countess Roberti, and other members of the embassy staff.

Among others attending were Lady Bradford Leslie, Mrs. Arthur Lee Willard, widow of Admiral Willard; Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, Mrs. Frederick Mitchell Gould, Mrs. Ralph Worthington, Mrs. Thomas H. C. Reed and her house guest, Mrs. James H. Little, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Charles H. Warren, Baroness von Below, Mrs. Jacob Leander Loose, Mrs. E. Hart Fenn, Mrs. William Fitch Kelley.

Mrs. Ickes Lists Assistants for 'At-Home' Affair

Mrs. Harold L. Ickes, wife of the Secretary of the Interior, has announced the list of those assisting her at her "at home" tomorrow from 4 to 6 at her home near Olney, Md.

Those pouring tea will be Mrs. Felix Frankfurter, Mrs. Claude Pepper, Mrs. Howard Gray, Mrs. T. V. Smith, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Mrs. John Herrick, Mrs. Micheal Straus and Miss Pauletta Guffey.

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Notes of Society

Official and Residential

The Polish Ambassador, Count Jerzy Potocki, left yesterday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luce at their plantation in South Carolina.

Mrs. Arthur Vandenberg, wife of Senator Vandenberg, has issued cards to an "at home" on Thursday, February 15 from 4 to 6.

Senator and Mrs. Josiah W. Bailey, of North Carolina, spent the week-end at the Waldorf Astoria in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal T. McKenna and their debutante daughter, Miss Joan McKenna, are vacationing at the Hotel Good in Miami, Fla.

Mrs. B. Lauriston Hardin, jr., of Washington, is visiting relatives in Pittsfield, Mass.

Dr. and Mrs. V. J. Dorset, of San Francisco, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Marion Dorset, at the Wardman Park.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bush are spending several weeks at Miami Beach.

Mrs. Sidney S. Jaffe will open her home in Somerset, Md., tomorrow from 4 to 6 for a benefit tea for the National Symphony Orchestra. She will be assisted by Mrs. Alex Krynitsky and Mrs. Harold de Courcy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Nichter, of Takoma Park, Md., announce the birth of a daughter January 13.

Hugh M. Waldrop and his family, of University Park, Md., are visiting in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dale Wassell, of Detroit, have taken an apartment at the Wardman Park.

Miss Bessie B. Keller and Miss Laura Lee, of Washington, are at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York.

Carl Mangold, of Montreal, has joined Mrs. Mangold at the Wardman Park, where she is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. H. Lanyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sher gave a cocktail and supper party last night at their home on Jocelyn street in honor of Mrs. Anita Baumgarten and Henry King, whose engagement was recently announced.

College Needn't Be Mill, N. C. Woman Dean Says

Harriet Elliott Outlines Division Of Students Into Groups of Ten For Individual Training and Freedom

By Jessie Ash Arndt.
The Post Club Editor.

A big college need not be a mill, Dean Harriet Elliott told the Washington alumnae of the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina last night—and then she proved it.

Addressing an alumnae meeting in her honor at the Women's City Club, she outlined the organization of the faculty and students which keeps the individual from being lost among the 2,250 girls enrolled. The institution, located at Greensboro, is the third largest women's college in the United States, with 1,950 students living in the 15 residence halls and the remainder day students.

The program for giving the girls individual attention is based on the smallest possible unit, said Dean Elliott, with the 700 freshmen entering each fall, divided into groups of ten under an academic adviser. This faculty member consults with them on their courses, offering guidance as to the divisions to enter and the selections within these, unless this has been decided before enrollment. The group is under the same adviser for two years until each girl selects her major then the head of her department becomes her adviser.

No Blanket Decisions Made

Every six weeks and oftener if necessary, the adviser reports on the girl's progress. There is also an academic chairman for each who acts as coordinator, and an academic woman in charge of each residence hall, as a counselor.

These are all integrated in the academic and personnel committee, composed of the dean of administration, the dean of women, college physician and seven faculty members.

"Our effort is to coordinate the social and academic procedure in the entire college and to see the students as individuals. No blanket decisions are made," said Dean Elliott.

"Responsible freedom is given the college women," she said. "There are certain standards and responsibilities they must meet but within these they have the freedom of choice that aids in their development. They take pride in maintaining the accepted standards and student reaction acts as a force against those who violate them."

Other Colleges Use Same Method

The set-up at the North Carolina College is not unique, Dean Elliott believes, but follows the progressive methods being adopted through the country. It was instituted five years ago and has been altered somewhat from time to time.

Dean Elliott has been a member of the faculty of the college for 26 years and the dean of women for five years. She is chairman of the legislative committee of the American Association of University Women and yesterday presided at an all-day session of the group at the clubhouse, 1634 I street. It held its midwinter meeting preceding next month's board session.

Other members of the committee here for yesterday's meeting were Dr. Esther Crane, of Goucher College, representing the education division; Dr. Caroline F. Ware, of American University, social studies; Dr. Bessie C. Randolph, president of Hollins College, international relations; Dr. Susan M. Kingsbury, of Bryn Mawr, economic and igeal status of women, and two State legislative chairmen, Miss Eleanor H. Little, of Guilford, Conn., and Mrs. Carl H. Casberg, of Urbana, Ill.

Mrs. Henry Talks At Baltimore

Mrs. Paul Henry, of Seattle, assistant in the women's division of the Republican National Committee, yesterday addressed the Maryland Federation of Republican Women at a luncheon at the Hotel Southern in Baltimore.

American frontiers depend on the energy, courage and inventive genius, together with the demand for good living, of the American people, she told the members. "They depend also on our willingness to accept discipline and adjust ourselves to changing conditions.

"I am convinced that the only answer to the problem of restoring and maintaining these four requisites in America is through the Republican Party. First, that we may take Government out of business and give free enterprise in America a chance to put our citizens to work. Second, by building a program for the future of hope and confidence, friendliness and cooperation, instead of fear, class hatred and frustration. Third, we must reaffirm as a doctrine of liberty that Government in a democracy is the servant and not the master of a free people.

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11 Are Elected As 'Y' Directors

Eleven directors were elected last night at the annual membership meeting of the Y. W. C. A. More than 200 attended the dinner in Barker Hall and the program that followed.

The ballots, which had been mailed out some time before were counted preceding the dinner and the results announced following the radio questionnaire that was the entertainment of the evening.

The new directors are: Mrs. John Burlew, Mrs. David Craig, Mrs. Robert C. Horne, Miss Sara Motley, Mrs. James Craig Pennock, Mrs. Fred E. Wright. Those reelected are: Mrs. L. K. Cone, Miss Grace Johnson, Mrs. Stanley F. Reed, wife of Associate Justice Reed of the Supreme Court; Mrs. Ben Temple Webster, Miss Katherine Wilfley.

The nominating committee for 1940, also elected last night, included Mrs. Albert Atwood, Mrs. William Lee Corbin, Mrs. Donald Roberts, Mrs. Edwin B. Parker and Mrs. John Jay O'Connor.

Mrs. Corbin, the president, presided at the business meeting, following a devotional service led by the Girl Reserves. Miss Elizabeth Haney, general secretary, discussed the work of the association during the past year and there were reports by other officers.

The radio skit was conducted with Miss Mabel Charest as Prof. G. Wiz, general announcer, assisted by Miss Elizabeth Morrow, Miss Kathryn Heath, Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Craig. Questions pertained to general information on the Y. W. C. A.

G. H. Cox Talks On Pan America

Pan Americanism is far from having attained its objective, in spite of seven years of Democratic good-will in this country, said George Howland Cox, director of the Inter-American Center, George Washington University, at the Monday luncheon of the Woman's National Democratic Club. Mr. Cox criticized those "cheerful - minded" individuals who seem to believe that the inter-American ills of nearly a century in the making have now been cured.

The luncheon was presided over by Mrs. D. Tucker Brown, club president. The speaker was introduced by Miss Mary Bakewell.

"Despite what actually has been accomplished," said Director Cox, "we should, if we are intelligent, admit that North Americans as a whole do not love their Latin-American neighbors; and Latin Americans, as a whole, do not love their North American critics. How could the situation be otherwise while the two peoples do not meet each other?"

Differences of background, government, temperament, outlook on life and business customs, he pointed out, played their parts in the inter-American discord. He declared, however, a wholesome relationship could be established.

The speaker praised the achievements of Secretary of State Hull and Undersecretary Welles and the activities of the State Department's division of cultural relations, but suggested, nevertheless, that inter-American coordination would not be completely effected through Government supervision.

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Dr. Harriet Elliott, dean of the Women's College of North Carolina University, in Greensboro, and legislative chairman of the American Association of University Women, who addressed the North Carolina alumnae last night

Madame Chairman

—By Suzanne

Beautiful Young Patriot of India Again States Case for Free Status

LAST SPRING I sat before the fire in the Richard Hogues' Library, 125 Third street northeast, and talked to the beautiful young Indian patriot, Bhico Batlivala, of the Indian National Congress. Yesterday I was there again, hearing for the second time of India's nonviolent resistance; of her determination to gain freedom and equality and of her conviction that her victory would be a moral force aiding other subject peoples of the world.

Last April the war machines had not commenced moving. Yesterday, Miss Batlivala had returned from more than six months in England, four of them war months. She had worn a purple sari when I saw her in the spring, yesterday it was of wine red, with a heavy border of gold. The firelight played on her fine features and was reflected on her auburn hair, modishly coiffed.

SHE SPOKE with decision—"India is not bargaining, she will not compromise"—but, as before, there was no note of resentment or defiance. "India's nonviolent methods are a weapon brute force cannot conquer." There was also the patience of the East—"India has waited 150 years for freedom. Five years more will not mean so much to her, but whether England gives graciously will mean much to England."

Some liberal groups in England, she said, are recognizing the moral power that Great Britain would gain by granting the demands of the Indian National Congress. It wants a constitutional assembly, elected on the widest possible franchise and with statutory safeguards for every minority. They are awakening, said Miss Batlivala, to the fact that "India's bondage is justification for bondage of other nations. It is more than a national problem. It is a world problem."

"THIS IS 1940, NOT 1914," she reminded me, as her dark eyes flashed. "India has suffered much and learned much. She has not forgotten that she gave $800,000,000 above her annual contribution to Great Britain (and four shillings of every pound in the Englishman's pocket comes from India). She remembers that she gave 1,350,000 men (more than the combined forces of the dominions)—and her reward was promises that were not kept."

Last spring this young Indian woman predicted as inevitable, the war that has now come. Yesterday she said India had been warning for more than five years that the policy of the imperialist nations was heading for just such catastrophe, and that when it came, India must be consulted as to her attitude.

"It has come, but India was not consulted. She had imposed on her the status of a belligerent," said Miss Batlivala.

Always on the side of attacked nations, India would heartily join in efforts for freedom and against imperialism once Great Britain had extended the hand of friendship and equality, she said.

She flicked an ash from her cigaret, and adjusted the folds of the sari over her shoulders. There was no enmity against the English. One knew that much of the power of India was in its ability to master its own hatred—in its patience—and in its women.

Pilot Club Will Banquet

Charter night of the local Pilot International Club will be celebrated with a banquet Saturday evening, 6:30 o'clock at the clubhouse of the American Association of University Women, 1634 I street. Speakers will be Representative Caroline O'Day, of New York, and Mrs. Etha Hall, of Greensboro, N. C., chairman of district 6, which includes the District of Columbia.

The local Pilot Club, of which Miss Louise Boynton is president, was organized last spring and has grown into a flourishing organization, devoting its energies to social, civic, and business betterment. Following closely the outline of other service clubs, Pilot International has spread its branches throughout the United States, into Mexico and other countries. It now has more than 100 clubs, a membership of several thousand professional men and women executives.

The clubs were founded in 1921 in Macon, Ga. The late Admiral William S. Benson, of the United States Navy, suggested the motto, "True Course Ever."

A feature of charter night will be the formal presentation to the club of its charter by Mrs. Hall, as District governor. She will be the guest of the club over the week-end. Large delegations are expected from Harrisburg, Pa., Baltimore, and other clubs in this district.

Acting as toastmistress will be Miss Patricia Collins, of Atlanta, Ga., young attorney with the Department of Justice.

War Mothers Group To Meet February 8

The Bicentennial Chapter of American War Mothers will have a business meeting at the Raleigh Hotel February 8.

Mrs. Julia E. Hooker, the president, has appointed as delegates to next week's Conference on National Defense, Mrs. Jessie E. Richards and Mrs. Edith Fuge.

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Phi Delta Delta Will Greet 20

Alpha Lambda Chapter, Phi Delta international legal fraternity, will entertain its rushees at a cocktail party Sunday afternoon at the Roosevelt Hotel. Attending will be 20 rushees of the chapter, all of whom have attained the scholastic averages necessary to membership. Miss Irene Vivian Wright, president of Alpha Lambda Chapter, will present them to members.

In charge of arrangements is Miss Dorothy Dautridge, chairman, assisted by Miss Florence Benzing, Mrs. Winifred Grant, Mrs. Emily Stewart Eby and Mrs. Kathryn Swarz. Guests of honor include Miss Catherine Vaux, international vice president; Mrs. Alice Barry Freer, international recorder; Mrs. Ruth Moorehead Hildebrand, president of the Alumnae Chapter; Mrs. Ardis Blackburn, president of Zeta; Miss Mary Lewis Martin, president of Beta, and Mrs. Mabel Benson Sakis, former president of the Alumnae Chapter.

Alpha Lambda Chapter was installed at National University Law School on July 1, 1928. Among prominent members in Washington are Judge Fay Bentley, of the Juvenile Court; Miss Pearl McCall, former assistant District attorney; Judge Mary O'Toole, Miss Annabel Matthews; Miss Stella Akin, Special Assistant to the Attorney General; Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, honorary president of the fraternity; Judge Marion Harron, of the United States Board of Tax Appeals; Judge Lucy Howorth, of the Veterans' Administration, and Mrs. Elisabeth Prender Buchanan, attorney in the Department of Justice and honorary president of Alpha Lambda Chapter.

Cornelia Skinner Show To Be Smith Benefit

The Smith College Club has taken over the opening performance of "Edna, His Wife," with Cornelia Otis Skinner, on Monday evening, February 26, at the National Theater, for the benefit of its scholarship fund. Mrs. Vernon H. Brewster is chairman of the club's benefit committee.

Plans for the benefit were discussed at the club's meeting on Sunday afternoon at the clubhouse of the American Association of University Women, where Mrs. Kenneth Hollan1, the president presided. Guests of honor were Miss Florence Snow, alumnae secretary, and Mrs. W. Chapin Huntington, of Washington, alumnae trustee, who brought the club recent news of the college.

Eastern Star Event Attended By Nearly 2,000 Members

Annual Reception Given by Grand Matron's and Grand Patron's Chapters; Mrs. Romer Leads the Grand March

New officers of the grand chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, were honored last night at the annual reception given by the grand matron's and grand patron's chapters. The affair, in the ballroom of the Willard Hotel, was attended by nearly 2,000 members of the order.

The hostess chapters were Acacia, to which the grand matron, Mrs. Minnie J. Burdine, belongs and Bethlehem, of which the grand patron, Edward C. Steagall is a member. Mrs. Alice Romer, matron of Acacia, serving as grand marshal, led the grand march that opened the ceremony at 9 o'clock. In line during the reception were the grand matron and patron, Mrs. Romer; the patron of Acacia Chapter, DeWitt Dunn; the matron and patron of Bethlehem Chapter, Mrs. Mildred Gorman and John D. Bowen, and the past grand matrons and patrons of the District.

The ballroom was decorated in green and gold, the grand matron's colors, and, as the grand march was held to the tune of "Stars and Stripes Forever," a spotlight was focused on the American flag as it unfurled at the front of the room.

All of the women officers of the order wore white evening gowns. Mrs. Burdine carried a large bouquet of gold symphony roses and others wore corsages of the same flowers. The men had yellow carnations in their lapels.

In the procession with the grand officers were also the matrons and patrons of all 40 chapters of the local organization. Guests of honor included Needham C. Turnage, grand master of Masons in the District and Mrs. Turnage, Representative W. F. Norell, of Arkansas, who is grand patron of the Arkansas Order of the Eastern Star and Mrs. Norell.

Dancing followed the ceremony. Arrangements were in charge of A. L. Ebersole, past patron of Acacia Chapter, as chairman and Mrs. Grace Kimmel, of Bethlehem Chapter, a past grand matron as vice chairman.

Clinic to Hold Jubilee Party On April 11

Mrs. Fred P. Trott Reelected President Of Board Last Week

Coincident with the golden jubilee of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the Woman's Clinic this year celebrates its fiftieth anniversary. Plans are under way for a golden jubilee birthday card party to be held April 11 at the Roosevelt Hotel. All board members will assist, headed by the president, Mrs. Fred P. Trott, who was reelected at the meeting held last week.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Frank J. Mann, first vice president; Mrs. H. E. Rogers, second vice president; Mrs. Edgar T. Brown, treasurer, and Mrs. Ruth H. Snodgrass, secretary.

Dr. Ida Heiberger founded the Woman's Clinic in 1890, in what was then called The Cottage Home, at 1237 T street northwest, and was actively associated with the work for more than 30 years. Her desire was to provide a clinic and dispensary exclusively for women and children and to provide also an outlet for the training acquired by those pioneer women who had "dared" to become physicians.

For 50 years the work has been carried on by outstanding women physicians of the city, the most notable being Dr. Lauretta E. Kress, who was superintendent for 20 years, but who is now retired. Funds for maintenance have been provided through dues of board members, nominal fees collected from patients who could pay and from various benefits arranged by board members.

In 1930 the T street house was abandoned and the residence at 4704 Georgia avenue purchased. Mrs. Edgar T. Brown, an ardent worker for the cause for over 30 years, and her family took up their residence there, serving as hostess.

All types of clinical treatments are given, including the administration of various vaccines and serums, specialized treatment for women's and children's diseases and general medicine. A mothers' health clinic has been maintained for the past several years.

The clinic is affiliated with the Birth Control Federation of America and is associated with the Birth Control Clinical Research Bureau. Since 1905 it has been a member of the District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs, and several of its members have held prominent positions in the federation.

After Dr. Kress' retirement Dr. M. Isabel Reith-Meade was appointed superintendent. Other clinicians are Dr. Cecile Fusfeld and Dr. Edna Patterson. The clinic is open on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 10:30 until noon.

Report on Conference

Members of the Voteless D. C. League of Women Voters will hear a report of the Conference on the Cause and Cure of War at an open meeting at the home of Mrs. M. O. Lorenz, 3510 Porter street, at 8 Thursday evening.

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A bundle of used clothing will be the admission price for a benefit motion picture show to be sponsored tonight by the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom at the home of Mrs. Avery Coonley, 3501 Newark street at 8 o'clock.

The bundle party will help restock the shelves of the Pax Rummage Shop, conducted by the league below its headquarters.

The picture will be "The Adventures of Chico" and talk is to be given by Salvador Duhart, of the Mexican Embassy, on "Art as a Means of Interpreting One Country to Another."

Tomorrow night, the league is sponsoring the lecture at the National Press Club by Oswald Garrison Villard, who will speak on "What's Behind the Scenes in Europe." He will be introduced by Senator Burton K. Wheeler.

Mrs. Novick Forms Young Girls' Group

Mrs. Louis Novick, wife of Rabbi Novick, president of the Seaboard Mizrachi Region, has organized a junior group of Washington young girls in behalf of the Mizrachi Women's Organization of America, orthodox Zionist women's body. The new chapter will become affiliated with the junior council groups of the national organization.

Miss Ruby Scoofal, of Washington, has sent to the national office the proceeds of the first project of the group, a linen shower in aid of refugee girls supported by the Mizrachi Women in Palestine.

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Saturday evening, the senior inter-club council of the Jewish Community Center will hold its annual Flicker Frolic at the Cafritz Auditorium.

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Miriam Glasser is chairman of the committee in charge.

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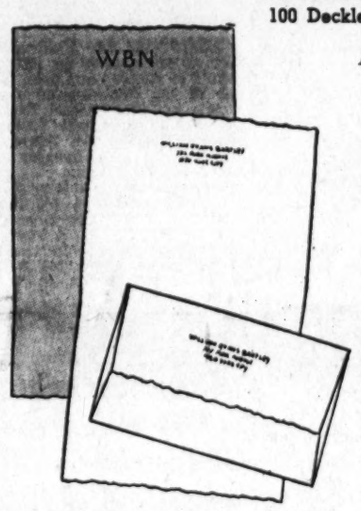
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Inquiry to Let NLRB Call Own Witnesses

Action Will Establish Precedent on Capitol Hill, Smith Believes

By John B. Oakes
Post Staff Writer

Setting a precedent on Capitol Hill, the Smith Committee was preparing last night virtually to turn the conduct of its hearings for the next seven days over to the agency it is investigating—the National Labor Relations Board.

As first witness for the "defense," NLRB General Counsel Charles Fahy will call to the stand tomorrow J. Warren Madden, chairman of the Board. Edwin S. Smith, a Board member, and Nathan Witt, NLRB secretary, are expected to follow.

Chairman Smith of the committee told The Post last night that so far as he knew this was the first time that a Congressional inquiry had given the agency under investigation time to call up its own witnesses and subject them to questioning by its own counsel. It was indicated, however, that Committee Counsel Edmund M. Toland would be permitted to cross-examine these witnesses.

Davis, Gill Testify

The first phase of the committee's investigation was brought to a close yesterday with testimony of Jack Davis, NLRB attorney, and Lewis M. Gill, board supervisor.

Davis denied testimony, brought out at committee hearings January 8, that he had told American Radiator Co. employes at Litchfield, Ill., that he was "working for the C. I. O.," or that he had advised them in respect to charges against the company: "You swear it and I'll prove it."

Toland offered evidence that in a case involving the John Lucas Paint Co., Gibbsboro, N. J., Davis had told the employes that it was his "job" to gather evidence that would warrant the board ordering their reinstatement.

"I am going to . . . spend the next 10 days working for you," he said. "The Government sends me here on your behalf."

Plant Closed Up

In this case the plant had closed following C. I. O. complaints that the company had violated the Wagner act. According to Davis, the employes subsequently formed an independent union and asked the board to drop the charges as they understood this action would induce the company to reopen the plant.

The witness asserted that he did not recommend dropping the charges and ultimately the case was settled when the company agreed to reopen the plant and put everybody back to work. He insisted that he had not attempted to induce the employes to rejoin the C. I. O. union.

"If you had dropped the charges when the men wanted you to, they would have gone back to work sooner, wouldn't they?" queried Smith.

"That we do not know because the company told us definitely that they would not reopen the plant even if we dropped the charges," retorted Davis.

Criticism Followed Shift

"When a man is hungry and has nothing to eat, he doesn't want . . . the labor board and he doesn't want any union; he wants to get back to work if he thinks he has a chance to," Davis observed.

While Davis testified that his conduct in the American Radiator Case was never "specifically" brought to his attention by the board, Toland brought out that he had been transferred from the St. Louis to the Philadelphia office, and that subsequently Robert B. Watts, associate general counsel of the board, had written a letter criticizing him.

Davis "exhibited a very considerable lack of discretion and common sense . . . made a great many ill-advised statements about the fact that he was working for the C. I. O. . . . and exhibited extreme tendencies toward self-praise in public places," Watts wrote on November 23, 1937.

However, Maj. Stanley Root, Davis' superior in Philadelphia, replied to Watts that he had "formed a very excellent opinion of Jack Davis." About a year after his transfer to Philadelphia, Davis' salary was raised, testimony showed.

Modern 'William Tell' Vindicated

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

A modern "William Tell," Oscar Ball (right), 48, described the slaying of Louis Strake, 33, at Paulding, Ohio, who allegedly held a pistol to the head of his son, Richard Ball (left), and threatened to pull the trigger. The elder Ball's rifle shot killed Strake. The Paulding County grand jury yesterday absolved Ball of blame in the slaying

The Federal Diary

Permanent Investigation Of Business May Be Asked

TNEC Officers Discuss Placing Work With New Commerce Agency As a Continuing Function

By Alfred Friendly

The Temporary National Economic Committee may recommend that its research into the workings of American business be made a permanent function of the newly created Industrial Economics Division of the Commerce Department, it was learned yesterday.

"Brain trust" members of the monopoly investigating group are known to believe that the committee's task of "getting the inside story on how business works" should have been the function of the Commerce Department for the last ten years. They are urging that there be no lapse in the work when the TNEC completes its term of life, probably next summer or fall.

The Commerce Department's new division, headed by the liberal former Harvard economist, Richard V. Gilbert, is said to be the only agency now set up in a permanent establishment where the research might be carried on.

Reports Expected in June

As part of its final report, the TNEC may recommend that its records be transferred to the division, and that the division be charged with studying price policy—monopoly and trade practices of industry.

The TNEC is expected to complete its preliminary reports by June 1, and to draw up its final summary and cumulative index within three or four months after that date. The funds appropriated to the various agencies cooperating in the monopoly study are nearly exhausted, committe sources reported, but there is still $90,000 unappropriated of the original $600,000 authorization. The amount is thought to be sufficient to carry the committee through the final stages of drafting the report.

Chief opposition to the 1940 census, according to letters received by the Census Bureau, comes from small town residents who object to local enumerators asking the many intimate questions on the schedule.

"We don't mind telling the Government what we earn or what the mortgage is, since Uncle Sam will never reveal the personal information," the letters say, "but we don't want to tell it to the enumerator, who is Jim Jones down on Pine street, because it's none of his business and besides, he'll tell everybody else."

The Census Bureau replies that there has always been this sort of pre-Census complaint, but that it is a felony for an enumerator to reveal any information he collects. There has never been a wave of post-Census complaints about violation of secrecy, the bureau reminds, which may be taken as an indication that enumerators don't gab.

In the general, bureau officers report complaints and opposition have been lighter this year than ever before. They attribute this to better public understanding of the purpose of the census.

The other main complaints which have been received are aimed against questions about home mortgages and about personal earnings. On the latter topic, most of the objections have come from wealthier individuals, who are usually placated when it is explained that the exact amount of earnings is sought only for annual wages of less than $5,000. If a man earns more, he merely answers "yes" to the query, but does not indicate the precise amount.

One letter received by the bureau complaining that a local enumerator would "snoop" into their affairs was signed by "Eight Worried Women."

The bureau figured it out to be the end product of one afternoon's work by two tables of bridge.

The Civil Service Commission has called the attention of each Government agency to section 9A of the Hatch act, forbidding payment of Federal money to any employe who belongs to "any political party or organization which advocates the overthrow of our Constitutional form of Government in the United States."

As a result, several establishments have circularized their employes, posing the question and asking a sworn answer.

The penalty for belonging to such a party or organization, as provided by the Hatch act, is loss of his Federal job, and an eternal ban against rehiring the guilty person in the Government.

CALENDAR: The National Park Service will sponsor an illustrated lecture on Norway at 8 p. m. tomorrow in the Departmental Auditorium . . . The Federal Employes Union Playhouse will present a musical comedy "An Evening at Home" at 8 p. m. Thursday in the Agriculture Auditorium . . . on the same stage the Agriculture Players will present George M. Cohan's mystery-comedy, "The Tavern" on February 8 and 9 . . . A free movie on the Hawaiian sugar industry will be shown at 4:15 p. m. today in the Commerce Auditorium.

Civil Service exam: Shipwright, Charleston Navy Yard, $7.20 to $8.16 a day.

Randolph Pushes Advisory Council In Hazen Letter

Chairman Randolph, of the House District Committee, yesterday sent to Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen his proposal that the projected citizens advisory council be elective.

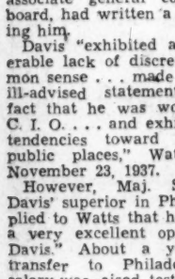
Asking the District heads to revise their reorganization plan, which is still before the Budget Bureau, Representatve Randolph said:

"I believe that there would be a better feeling by the residents of the District and governing authorities if the Commissioners would propose an elective advisory council that would be more responsive to the wishes of the people of Washington than a council appointed by them."

Commissioner Hazen declined to comment until he received Randolph's letter.

Station PDS Presents Pianist as Guest

The guest on the PDS program this morning will be Barbara Loomis, of 619 D street southeast. Miss Loomis is employed at Friendship House and is the staff pianist and nursery music teacher. She had two years as musical production manager for operettas and musical comedies. You will hear Miss Loomis over Station WMAL.



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3-Man Gathering Is Three-Fourths Of District G.A.R.

Three-fourths of the Department of the Potomac, Grand Army of the Republic, will be represented at the department's annual encampment today when three elderly men gather at 1412 Sixteenth street northwest at 2 p. m.

John M. Kline, sr., 93, the commander, will preside. John T. Ryan, 93, senior vice commander, and William F. Dorsey, 92, assistant adjutant general and assistant quartermaster general, also will be there. Absent will be Charles Fox, 91, who has been confined to Washington Sanotarium for some time.

John M. Andrews, of Springfield, Ill., national commander in chief of the G. A. R., will be present. Also attending will be representatives of the G. A. R.'s allied organizations.

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Senators Back Hazen for Post

Chairman King, of the Senate District Committee, yesterday reported favorably the renomination of Melvin C. Hazen as District Commissioner for three years.

The action was taken following a poll of the committee and the withdrawal of a request for a delay in the confirmation by Senator McCarran (Democrat), of Nevada.

Just More Work To Mark Seventh Year of Hitler

Berlin, Jan. 29 (AP).—War will deflate the celebration of one of Nazidom's most sacred days tomorrow—the seventh anniversary of the day when the venerable President Paul von Hindenberg asked Adolf Hitler to take over the reins of government.

Hitherto January 30 has been designated officially as the "day of national resurgence."

Tomorrow it will be just another work day. Production rather than celebration is the watchword in Germany today.

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.

Mrs. Lawrence Townsend presents Suzanne Sten, contralto; John Seagle, barytone, and Emile Baume, pianist, in the Mayflower Hotel ballroom Monday morning. Accompanists: Leo Taubman and Nathan Price.

Susanne Sten, contralto, was the newcomer at Mrs. Lawrence Townsend's 117th Musical Morning yesterday in the Mayflower Hotel ballroom, appearing in joint recital with John Seagle, barytone, and Emile Baume, pianist, both of whom had been heard in Washington previously. Endowed with abundance of temperament and a voice of wide range, she pleased the large audience and received a cordial welcome. The true contralto quality of her voice, rich in color and emotionally warm, fell agreeably upon the ear, save when she ventured into the mezzo-soprano register. Her highest tones, while resonant and firm, were affected with too strong a vibrato and showed the strain of placement. Her artistry was evident in her phrasing and her sense of style.

Her first group contained the "Agnus Dei" arrangement of an intermezzo from Bizet's insidental music for "L'Arlesienne," the aria, "Col mio sangue" by Alessandro Stradella, and the familiar Verdian aria, "O don fatale." In her second group she offered Dvorak's "Zigeunerlieder" and two songs by Richard Strauss: "Traum durch die Daemmerung" and "Zueignung." One wished that her accompanist, Leo Taubman, had been less heavy-handed and more respectful of the singer's tonal shading.

John Seagle, one of our most promising young barytones, is steadily advancing in his art. His sound musicianship is patent in his treatment of phrase and stress as well as in his interpretive finesse. His voice has sonority in the lower tones and lyrical sweetness in the upper range, but he has still to accomplish a smooth transtition between the two qualities.

Sensitively accompanied by Nathan Price, he opened the recital with an unfamiliar air from Otto Nicolai's "Joconde," following it with Hue's "L'ane blanc" and the "Pierrotlied" from Korngold's "Die tote Stadt." In his second group he sang Pearl Curran's "Nocturne," Hely-Hutchinson's sure-fire parody of Handel, "Old Mother Hubbard," Hall Johnson's arrangement of "City Called Heaven" and Robert MacGimsey's humorous "Daniel in the Lions' Den."

Emile Baume, the French piano virtuoso, made his first appearance in a Chopin group consisting of the F minor Ballade and the F major and A minor Etudes from Opus 25. In the performance of these pieces he was more intent upon bravura than upon poesy, exhibiting brilliant technique and missing entirely the essential morbidezza of Chopin. His second group contained Debussy's "Poissons d'or" and "L'isle joyeuse" and Liszt's version of Paganini's "Andantino Capriccioso" in E flat major.

Miss Sten and Mr. Seagle closed the recital with two seldom-heard duets by Mendelssohn, "Gruss" and "Das Aehrenfeld." These were thoroughly enjoyable for blend of tone and artistic finish.

Quail Food Distributed

Roanoke, Va., Jan. 29 (AP).—Catawba CCC youths today distributed a ton of quail feed, corn and wheat, in comparatively inaccessible Roanoke County thickets where quail have taken refuge.

Tenant Court Has 3,694 Cases

The landlord and tenant branch of the Municipal Court sat for 13 hours and 1 minute in December and handled 3,694 cases, Judge Nathan Cayton reported to Attorney General Jackson yesterday. Only 21 tenants were evicted by court order, despite the large number of cases.

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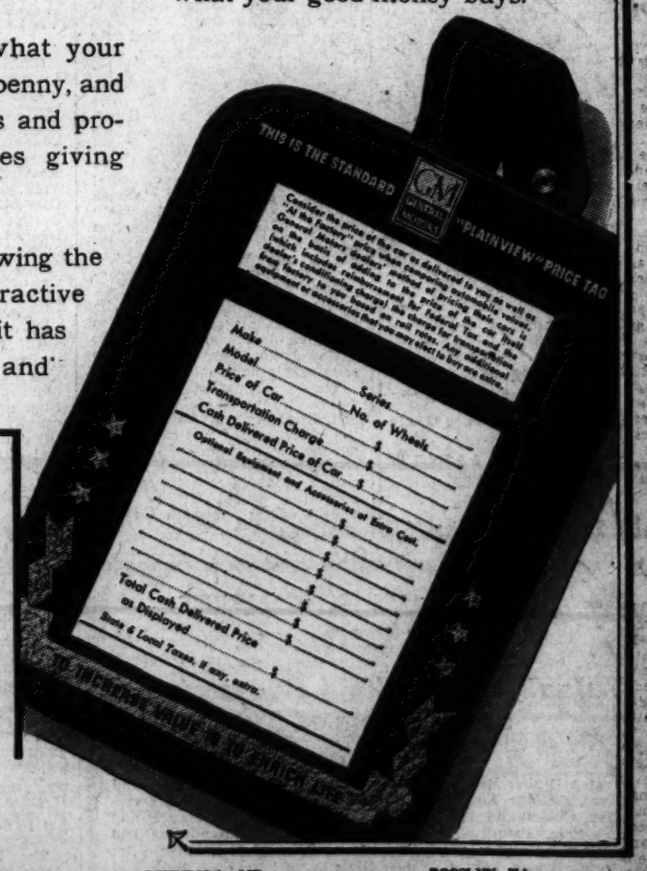

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First Lady Sees Vote as Aid to Aged

Hints D. C. Would Meet Blue Plains Needs Itself if It Had Suffrage

Sympathetic consideration will be given needs of the Home for Aged and Infirm at Blue Plains, which "shocked" Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, chairmen of the Senate and House subcommittees on District appropriations promised again yesterday afternoon.

At her press conference yesterday morning, Mrs. Roosevelt had revealed she had written "certain people who might be interested" about the home, and intimated that suffrage for the District would go far toward relieving conditions she found at Blue Plains.

Representative Caldwell (Democrat), of Florida, newly appointed chairman of the House subcommittee, said his group "doubtless" would inspect the home along with other local welfare institutions when the District supply bill is considered.

Senator Overton (Democrat), of Louisiana, said a request from Mrs. Roosevelt unquestionably would receive favorable consideration from his subcommittee.

Others Need Improving

At the same time Senator Overton pointed out that other District welfare agencies need improvements as well, and that under the proposed budget retrenchments will have to be made in other departments if Blue Plains estimates are to be increased.

"We could spend several millions of dollars more if we had it," he said. "I don't think the people of Washington want another increase in taxes this year."

While admitting funds are scarce, Mrs. Roosevelt suggested a survey be made of the institution's needs and that then the problem of raising the money be tackled.

She said it is "sad and horrible if we are going to let Blue Plains be our standard for the Nation on the attitude to old age."

First Lady Favors Vote

Mrs. Roosevelt commented that if residents of the District were allowed to vote they might feel more responsibility toward welfare institutions. The Home for the Aged and Infirm, she added, is not the only one that needs "overhauling."

Lack of adequate personnel and absence of a hospital and a dietitian, the First Lady said, impressed her most on her trip to Blue Plains Friday.

She added a belief the District should not become too dependent upon Federal aid for its institutions, since many District residents had "made a lot of money" here and should feel responsible for conditions caused by slender finances.

Mrs. Roosevelt recommended "practical suffrage" for Washington, since reasons for refusing suffrage here "are in the past." She did not amplify the meaning of "practical suffrage."

Smithsonian Gets Snowshoes Worn in North Pole Dash

Several gifts, including two suits of seventeenth century Japanese armor—have been presented to the Smithsonian Institution. Included is the pair of snow shoes Capt. Bob Bartlett used in his dash with Admiral Peary to the North Pole.

The armor was presented by the Mikado to Lieut. Comdr. Douglas Cassel, U. S. N., in 1874. It was given by Maj. Gen. D. C. McDougal, U. S. M. C. Another is a seven-piece porcelain buffet service presented by Laurence Vincent Benet, of Washington. It was given to his mother, Mrs. Stephen Benet, by the King of Denmark in 1866.

A pair of wrought iron andirons was given from the estate of Miss Anna L. Dawes, Pittsfield, Mass. These relics once were used in the old Russian government mansion at Sitka, Alaska. M. Baranoff, the last Russian governor, gave them to Miss Dawes' father, Senator Henry L. Dawes, of Massachusetts. The snowshoes were the gift to the museum of Francis B. Sayre, commissioner to the Philippines.

Gallinger Patient Leaps to Death

A 32-year-old colored man, Jesse Freeman, leaped to his death from a third-story window at Gallinger Hospital yesterday after he had broken free from a nurse.

Freeman entered the hospital several days ago for a minor surgical operation. Authorities said he became "violent" yesterday and had been placed in restraining sheets in a general surgical ward.

The nurse, Marian Regan, was making her rounds when she saw Freeman rush to the window. She grasped at his bathrobe and momentarily held him in the air, but before help could arrive the patient tore himself loose.

Mrs. Harmanson Fills R.-M. College Chair

Lynchburg, Va., Jan. 29 (AP).—Mrs. Sallie T. M. Harmanson has been appointed acting head of the department of romance languages at Randolph-Macon woman's college, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Margaret E. N. Fraser.

Movie to Be Shown

A sound movie, "Hawaiian Harvest," will be shown at 4:15 p. m. today in the Commerce Department Auditorium in connection with the industrial exhibit on sugar in the lobby. The movie depicts the production of sugar from the planting through refining.

Danced With O. E. S. Last Night

Post Staff Photo

This might be called sitting one down, instead of sitting one out, at the dance given last night by the Order of the Eastern Star at the Willard Hotel. One being Dick Barnsley. The girls are (left to right) Jeanne Dyne, Marjorie Loveless and Helen Sandberg

McNutt Calls Leisure Need Of Modern Life

Landscape Society Told U. S. Must Save Its Human Wealth

Conservation of human resources is "the first duty of government," Federal Security Administrator Paul V. McNutt declared last night in a speech before the annual dinner of the American Society of Landscape Architects.

"The real strength of a nation lies in its human wealth," he said. "Therefore, the first duty of government is to conserve the human resources, to which all the natural resources of the land are dedicated."

The modern schedule of eight hours sleep, eight hours work and eight hours leisure, McNutt held to be a means of conserving humans.

Leisure Necessary

"Without this leisure time," he said, "it is doubtful whether most people could stand up under the strain placed upon them by present-day methods of work and living.

"I am thoroughly convinced the proper use of leisure is the safety valve and the salvation of our modern civilization."

American farms offer "unlimited opportunities" for planning and beautification, Dr. Carl C. Taylor, head of the division of farm population and rural welfare, Department of Agriculture, told the dinner in the Mayflower Hotel.

The opportunity for the landscape architect on the farm, he said, is to break down the farm tradition that the good life must necessarily be the arduous one and substitute for it "an appreciation of the factor of recreation" in rural living.

Honors Awarded

Alfred D. Taylor, reelected society president at the opening session of the four-day meeting, announced Miss Harlean James, executive secretary of the American Planning and Civic Association, and Miss Katherine McNamara, librarian of the School of Landscape Architecture, Harvard University, as recipients of corresponding memberships, an honorary award of the organization. Other honors in the form of fellowships went to John W. Gregg, University of California, and Norman T. Newton, Allyn R. Jennings and Michael Rapuano, all of New York.

Other society officers named were S. Herbert Hare, Kansas City, vice president; Gregg, trustee for the Pacific Coast region; O. G. Schaffer, University of Illinois, trustee for the Midwest region; Newton, treasurer; A. F. Brinkerhoff, New York, trustee for the Middle Atlantic region.

Dr. Dodek Urges Men to Help Cut Maternity Deaths

Men should be "missionaries" in helping to reduce the death rate in childbirth, Dr. Samuel M. Dodek told nearly 500 persons attending the District WPA Health Institute yesterday in the auditorium of the National Museum.

In urging early medical examination in pregnancy, Dr. Dodek warned against "popular medical writers" who "display deep ignorance about maternity."

Dr. William Howard told the health institute that "milk, eggs, orange juice and vegetables should become the staple diet of children. Diet deficiencies can occur even among the 'well-fed' children."

Lectures on maternal and child welfare will be delivered by members of the District Medical Society and the District Medico-Chirurgical Society at the health institute throughout the remainder of the week.

4-H Club School

The 25 local leaders of Montgomery County 4-H clubs are scheduled to attend a training school in Rockville today to consider how to present clothing demonstrations, clothing programs and standards of workmanship. Miss Edythe M. Turner, home demonstration agent for the county, will be in charge.

D. C. Colored Honor Gans At Banquet

Dr. Emmett Scott Is Toastmaster at Testimonial Event

Colored citizens, representatives of various civic and fraternal organizations, joined in a testimonial and banquet last night, at the Little Harlem, in honor of Isaac Gans, retiring member of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

Dr. Emmet J. Scott, who served with Gans as a member of the Board of Indeterminate Sentence and Parole, acted as toastmaster, and read a poem by Justice Adkins, and telegrams from the White House, from Senator Millard Tydings, and from Representative Lansdale G. Sasscer, felicitating the guest of honor.

Tributes were paid Gans for his usefulness as a citizen, for his charitable enterprises, his courtesy and forbearance and his poise in public life, by Perry W. Howard, Thomas E. Lodge, Col. West A. Hamilton, Louis Lautier, the Rev. S. G. Lamkins, Shepherd Allen, Mortimer Smith, Paul Miller, Natie Brown, Dr. William H. Green David Blum, Henry Hendley, William Prather, Harold Jennifer, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wilson and Charles L. Skinner.

Gans responded, following the reading of a resolution of appreciation from the colored citizenry of the District of Columbia.

Capt. Manning, Sea Hero, Weds At Manassas

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—Capt. Harry Manning, who won a Congressional Medal of Honor for heroic work in the rescue of the Italian freighter Florida in 1934, today was married to Miss Florence Isabella Trowbridge Heaton, of New Haven, Conn.

The wedding was in Trinity Episcopal Church at Manassas, Va. They plan a trip to Hawaii.

Manning in 1937 flew as navigator with Amelia Earhart on her first attempt to fly around the world at the equator. They cracked up. His duties as a sea captain with the United States Lines prevented his accompanying Miss Earhart on a later flight during which she disappeared.

Stevenson Held For Grand Jury In Ft. Hunt Slaying

Alexander J. Stevenson, 28, Quantico Marine private accused of murdering Sidney M. Little, 28, Virginia tobacco salesman, has been held for grand jury action by Commissioner John W. Monroe in Alexandria, it was announced yesterday.

Stevenson waived a preliminary hearing and was automatically bound over to the grand jury, said Monroe. He is being held at Norfolk under a first-degree murder charge. Little was slain January 7 on the Government reservation near Fort Hunt, Va.

D. C. Income Tax Change Sped to Floor

House Committee Reports Bill for Installments as Soon as Received

Prompt action was taken on Capitol Hill yesterday on the District Commissioners' recommendation that local income tax payments be split into semiannual installments and the original filing date be delayed a month.

The House District Committee voted to report the measure at once upon its receipt from the Budget Bureau as Chairman King, of the Senate District Committee, introduced it in the Senate.

The committee decided to expedite the legislation after District officials said that if there was any delay the assessor's office would be thrown into confusion.

If the measure is passed promptly, as expected, Washingtonians will not have to pay their income tax to the District before April 15 and then can withhold half of it until October 15. The act now requires the full amount by March 15.

Job Insurance Change Voted

The House District Committee also voted to report favorably amendments designed to liberalize the District unemployment compensation act as recommended by the Commissioners and to hold up a bill to regulate the practice of professional engineering.

Before approving the amendments to the unemployment compensation act, the committee rejected a motion to make it comply with regulations of the Social Security Administration relative to placing employes under civil service.

As reported, the bill would blanket 170 employes of the District board into civil service without any qualifying examination. A spokesman for the Social Security Board at a hearing last week said the precedent would be contrary to the requirements imposed on the States.

After some discussion Representative Eberharter (Democrat), of Pennsylvania, moved that the civil service blanketing clause be stricken. The motion was lost on a voice vote after Representative McGehee (Democrat), of Mississippi, sponsor of the legislation, argued against it.

Representative Dirksen (Republican), of Illinois, warned the committee that the issue probably would be raised again on the House floor.

Loan Authority Included

Upon motion of Dirksen the committee voted to amend the income tax bill so as to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to advance funds to the District for the next two fiscal years in order to forestall a deficit.

Auditor Daniel J. Donovan explained the Commissioners had asked that the borrowing clause be made permanent, but the Budget Bureau had limited it to one year.

Because this year's return from the income tax would be divided between two fiscal years if the amendment is adopted, Maj. Donovan said the District will end the current fiscal year $1,300,000 short instead of with a surplus of $500,000 as had been anticipated.

He said that at least two years would be needed to enable District finances to be readjusted without a sharp curtailment of expenditures.

Because of numerous protests against the engineering bill, the Judiciary subcommittee decided to hold a hearing on it instead of recommending its approval. The date of the hearing was not set.

$169,420 More Asked for District

President Roosevelt yesterday submitted to Congress a request for $169,420 in supplemental District appropriations, including funds to put into effect Fire Department consolidations recommended by the Fire Survey Board.

The Budget Bureau reported that $26,920 was needed to finance the Fire Department reorganization. Of this, $12,500 is for repairing engine houses and $14,720 for rewiring alarm boxes and other such work.

The estimate also included $64,000 to complete the jail addition and $16,000 for finishing the Coolidge High School at Fifth street and Sheridan avenue northwest.

Other items are $60,000 for the police and firemen's retirement fund and $2,500 for printing and binding.

The supplemental estimates are chargeable against the current year and probably will be appropriated prior to passage of the 1941 District supply bill.

Stockholders to Meet

Announcement has been made by William L. Clarke, assistant secretary, that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington & Glen Echo Railroad Co. will be held at the office of the company, Glen Echo, at 1 p. m. on February 14 to elect officers for the ensuing year and transact other business.

Power Company Offers Cut In Its Commercial Rates

Only commercial consumers would benefit in power rate reductions under a revised schedule submitted to the Public Utilities Commission by the Potomac Electric Power Co., yesterday.

In past years, acting under the sliding-scale plan, the commission has applied at least a portion of the annual rate reduction to residential power users.

W. K. Laws, attorney for the power company, protested at yesterday's hearing that PEPCO is not in accord with the $575,029 rate cut set by the PUC and offered a revised company estimate of $454,766 to be applied only to commercial consumers.

In presenting the new rate, Laws indicated the power company expected to apply to the Commissioners for a rehearing on reduction schedules and if necessary "carry our appeal to the courts." He termed the $118,000 difference in estimates as "unreasonable."

The company produced evidence to show that commercial power users are producing a higher rate of return than residential consumers in general and therefore should benefit by the reduction.

The revised rate schedule, together with new estimates prepared by its own staff will be taken under consideration, the PUC announced after the hearing.

Crew of Ice-Locked Freighter Try 'Thumbing a Ride'

Associated Press Photo

Seamen (arrows) of the freighter Lillian Ann, ice-locked in the Chesapeake Bay, give the hitchhiker's signal to photographer's plane as it soars above them. Plane strut is visible at top left

Blimp Takes Passengers Off Ship in Bay Ice

3 Navy Planes Drop Food to 9-Man Crew Locked in Chesapeake

A passenger from the freighter Lillian Ann, ice-locked and reportedly in danger of breaking up off Holland Island in upper Chesapeake Bay, was brought to Washington in the Goodyear Blimp Enterprise last night a few hours after three Navy planes dropped food to the ship's crew.

Thrilled to feel the land beneath his feet again and at the prospect of seeing his family was Charles Vellines, 23-year-old mechanic from the Naval Air Station at Norfolk, the passenger. Vellines was brought to Washington after the blimp had negotiated a tricky landing on rough ice alongside the freighter.

Vellines, whose father, Charles L. Vellines, is a foreman of a division of the pattern shop at the air station, had been aboard the Lillian Ann since January 19 when he embarked on what he had expected would be a week-end cruise. He was to return to Norfolk by train.

Vellines reported the nine-man crew of the 330-ton freighter well provisioned, thanks to the three Navy planes from Norfolk that dropped food to them during the day, but in danger if a sudden shift of wind or tide should send ice packs crashing into the ship's sides.

The Coast Guard cutter Mohawk, Vellines said, battered its way to within three-quarters of a mile of the Lillian Ann with orders to stand by until a towing tug from Norfolk is able to reach the freighter today.

Vellines said the Lillian Ann's crew may reach the cutter by walking over packed ice and using a skiff across open water. Capt. Daniel Crain and his eight sailors, however, have elected to remain aboard as long as there is a chance to save their ship.

Prisoner Is Sent To Occoquan to Solve Drafts

Steps were taken to solve the Mystery of Occoquan in police court yesterday by Judge Walter J. Casey.

John R. Manning, 45, who said he had no fixed address, pleaded guilty to having been drunk Saturday, then added:

"But, please, you honor, don't send me to Occoquan."

"Why not?" asked the judge.

"Occoquan," Manning said, "is a very mysterious place."

"Mysterious?" Judge Casey said quizzically. "What's mysterious about it?"

"Well, sir, the drafts come out of nowhere."

Under questioning Manning said he had been released from the workhouse Saturday.

"I'll solve the mystery," said the judge. "We'll see whether we can't get you a job weather stripping down there. Fifty dollars or 45 days."

Fall on Steps Kills Mother, 92, of Greek Chancellor

Mrs. Despina Koundouriotis, 92-year-old mother of Stephen Koundouriotis, Chancellor of the Greek Legation, was fatally injured last night when she fell down the cellar steps of her home, 504 Defense Highway, Decatur Heights, Md.

According to Dr. James I. Boyd, Deputy Medical Examiner, Mrs. Koundouriotis died of a fractured neck and shock. The body was taken to Gasch's funeral home, Hyattsville, Md.

Mrs. Koundouriotis had lived in the Washington area for the past 15 years. Besides her son she leaves four grandchildren here and a daughter and other grandchildren at Athens, Greece.

Army Planes Keep Pilot From Perilous Richmond Landing

Crash on Snowed-in Field Is Prevented By Hastily Lettered Warning Put on Sides of Bomber and Attack Ship

Two Army airplanes, a bomber and a swift attack ship, yesterday won a race with time and space to save a lumbering photographic plane from an almost certain crash on snowbound Byrd Airport at Richmond.

Dispatched from Bolling Field here, the two planes roared over Richmond, where the mercury stood at 12 below and deep snowdrifts blocked the runways, just as the photo plane appeared on the Southern horizon. On their sides the Bolling planes bore the legend, hastily scrawled with lampblack, "Richmond closed!"

On the ground, airport attaches waved red flags and shouted futile warnings. The two big airplanes swung close to the photo ship, circled it, swung back again.

Lieut. John T. Shields, ferrying the photographic plane from Brooks Field, San Antonio, Tex., to Roosevelt Field, New York, to be used in ground instruction, read the warnings, saw the tiny humans capering in the snow. He looked the situation over for some other place to land, found none.

"So I followed the bomber to Bolling," he said.

It all came about when Airways Division of the Civil Aeronautics Authority notified the Bolling Field operations office that the photo plane had cleared from Charlotte, N. C., intending to land at Richmond. It carried no radio, CAA said, and could Bolling do something about warning the pilot?

Less than two hours remained before the northbound ship was scheduled to land at Richmond. The bomber and the attack plane were wheeled out to the line, fueled, inspected and the brief black warnings painted on their sides. With barely time left to make the 40-minute flight to Richmond, they took off. Had they arrived a few minutes later than they did, Lieut. Shields might have made a disastrous landing, entirely unaware of his danger.

The bomber was piloted by Lieut. G. H. Austin, with Lieut. D. E. Wilburn as copilot. Capt. R. L. Easton flew the attack ship.

Edward Pierce, Fire Battalion Chief, Retires

The retirement of Battalion Chief Edward R. Pierce, executive officer of the District Fire Department, was announced yesterday by the Commissioners.

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Pierce, 47, was retired because of physical disability. He has been off duty since July. One of the best-liked fire officials in the department, Pierce was in charge of the administrative division and handled personnel and budget affairs.

He was appointed to the department October 1, 1912, and was made a battalion chief July 25, 1930. He is married, has one son, Edward, jr., 17, and lives at 5605 Thirty-second street northwest. He was born in Fairfax County, Va., March 4, 1892.

Capital News In Brief

Two Dogs Lost

Two dogs which don't know their way about Washington any too well are lost somewhere among the city's icy streets and their owners are much perturbed about their safety.

Mrs. Henry J. Richardson, of 2740 Thirty-second street northwest, said yesterday her husband's Irish setter and her maid's police dog wandered off Saturday and have not been seen since. The setter, General McCarl Richardson (his name is on his collar), was trained in Arkansas and is a comparative stranger here, she said, and the police dog was brought from Montgomery County, Md., a few days ago and is no better acquainted here.

Robbed of $400

Margarette Etzler, resident manager of the Gelmont Apartments at 1835 Third street northeast, told, police yesterday that her apartment had been entered by a duplicate key, and $400 in bills stolen from a dresser drawer. She said much of the money was rent collections.

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Arlington, Fairfax Plan 5 Birthday Balls

Mrs. Boldin Heads Committee for Event At Country Club

Arlington and Fairfax residents will mark the President's birthday tonight with five celebrations to help the infantile paralysis campaign.

The featured event in Arlington County will be a ball at the Washington Golf and Country Club, given under auspices of the County Birthday Ball Committee headed by Mrs. Laura T. Boldin. The Edward Douglas Council, No. 2473, Knights of Columbus, will also sponsor a dance at its hall on Wilson boulevard. Both events will start at 10 p. m.

Celebrations will be held in Fairfax County at Fairfax, McLean and Falls Church, starting at 8 p. m.

An old-fashioned barn dance, with costumes, will be held at Willard Hall, Fairfax. Mrs. F. D. Richardson and Charles Pickett are co-chairmen.

The McLean Players will offer a political skit, "The Looking Glass," at the celebration in the parish hall of St. John's Episcopal Church. Harold F. Weiler, principal of the Franklin-Sherman School, is general chairman of the McLean festival.

The Falls Church celebration will include dancing and a dramatic production, "Memories of the Gay Nineties," under direction of Sonje Nordholm. The celebration will be held at the Madison School, starting at 8 p. m.

Baltimore Youth Held

Philadelphia, Jan. 29 (AP).—George C. Craven, 18, of Baltimore, was held without bail today for trial on a charge of robbery. A filling station attendant told police Craven talked to him for two hours before pulling out a pistol and demanding $15. Police caught him 3 miles away.

Lutheran Men's
Pre-Lenten Vespers
Wednesday, 8 P. M., Jan. 31
Atonement Lutheran Church
North Capitol & Rhode Island Ave.
Sermon:
"Making the Most of Lent"
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Pastor Reformation Lutheran Church
All Men Cordially Invited

Capper Says Vote Would Be 'Justice'

D. C. Ballot Lack 'Inexcusable,' He Tells Northeast Business Banquet

Washingtonians, "in simple justice," should be granted suffrage, Senator Capper of Kansas, declared last night.

"I think it inexcusable that 700,000 people at the heart of the world's greatest democracy should not have a word to say about their government," he told 700 guests at the fifteenth annual banquet of the Northeast Business Men's Association.

Shouts of "How about a vote?" while Capper was outlining the growth of the National Capital, prompted his remarks.

"I have a bill before the Senate granting the people of Washington national representation and a ballot in the choice of the President," he replied.

"I have discussed the question with every President that has been here during my 21 years in the Senate. I am for votes for the District."

Describes City Growth

Capper added that during his residence in Washington he had seen the city grow and become a world capital.

He said he had "been in 12 world capitals, but have never found one like Washington."

The years he has been in the Senate, he continued, have been the "most eventful in the world's history and my life here has made me come to love this city and its people."

Capper pointed out he was born in Kansas "sometime ago, when it took courage to be born out there," but declared, if he had it to do over again, he would choose "Kansas first as a birthplace and Washington next."

An ovation greeted him as he rose to speak and Capper thanked the diners for their applause with the remark, "You know, up there in the Senate I belong to what is known as the minority party, and there never was a time when applause sounded as good to a member of that group as it does right now."

Officials Are Guests

Honor guests included Harry N. Stull, president of the Federation of Citizens Associations; Louis W. Bowdler, president of the Federation of Business Men's Associations; William A. Van Duzer, director of vehicles and traffic; Capt. Richard H. Mansfield, of the Ninth Police Precinct; George G. McLeish, District department commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars; Corcoran Thom and William L. Beall, of the American Security & Trust Co.; Joshua Evans, jr., and Wilmer J. Waller, of the Hamilton National Bank, and Andy Farkas, Robert McChesney and Don Irwin, of the Washington Redskins.

Also attending were Washington I. Cleveland, manager of the District branch, American Automobile Association; Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald, Harry H. Baker, manager of the Wilson Line, and George T. Hoover, manager of the northeast branch, Hamilton National Bank.

James P. Rogers, president of the association, was presented with a brief case and desk set on behalf of the organization by August Moran, toastmaster.

Other officers are Arthur G. Hartung, first vice president; Luther W. Strobel, second vice president; Edwin R. Geisel, third vice president; Charles C. Boswell, secretary; Julian O. Cardin, treasurer; Joseph P. Bailey, general counsel; Robert W. McCullough, assistant general counsel, and George J. Geiger, sergeant at arms. Raymond G. Dunne was chairman of the dinner committee.

Visit of Daughter And Pass Key Save Woman's Life

A casual visit by her daughter and a neighbor's pass key saved the life yesterday of Mrs. Pearl Riesterer, 59, of 1422 Morse street northeast.

Overcome by coal gas from a faulty furnace, Mrs. Riesterer collapsed on her living room floor. Her daughter, Mrs. Virginia Schneppe, 33, of 1208 Holbrook street northeast, came by for a visit, and knocked on the door.

Mrs. Riesterer said she tried to crawl to the door, but couldn't reach it. She tried to cry out, but could only mutter:

"I've fallen down. I can't get up."

Mrs. Schneppe heard the voice and borrowed the pass key with which she entered.

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Ben McCoy Signs With Athletics for $45,000

Price Highest Ever Paid for Free Agent

Former Detroit Star Given 2-Year Contract Calling for $10,000 A Season; MackHappy

By the Associated Press

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 29.—Twenty-two-year-old Benny McCoy found the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow today.

The former Detroit Tiger infielder signed a contract with the Philadelphia Athletics that will net him a total of $65,000 in the space of two years.

McCoy, who was one of 91 Tiger chattels declared free agents by Baseball Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis 15 days ago, announced that the seventh place A's of the American League had presented him with $45,000 in cash and a two-year contract at $10,000 per annum for his services as their second baseman.

Earl Mack, son of Connie Mack, the 77-year-old leader of the Philadelphia club, was on the scene and won the bidding battle principally because he was able to assure McCoy that he would play regularly in the infield.

Reds and Pirates Lose Out

In there fight for the services of McCoy until the last minute were the Cincinnati Reds and the Pittsburgh Pirates, both of the National League.

"I offered McCoy the same terms as the Athletics and the chance to be with a team that won the National League pennant last season," said Bill McKechnie, manager of the Reds, "but I could not guarantee that he would be a regular at second base. After all, Linus Frey, my second baseman last season, is a good ball player and I told Benny that if he came with us he would have to beat Frey out of the job in order to play regularly. He will be in good hands with the Athletics, though."

The Pirates, who offered McCoy a $35,000 bonus some time ago, boosted the ante today, Benny said, but here again he faced the prospect of a fight for a regular job—this time with "Pep" Young. President William Benswanger, of the Pirates, carried on negotiations with Benny by telephone.

A Record Price

The $45,000 bonus McCoy received today is the largest amount any free agent has ever collected. The previous high was the $25,000 the St. Louis Browns paid to Catcher Rick Ferrell some years ago.

It also is the largest sum the Athletics have expended for a player since Robert Moses (Lefty) Grove was purchased for $106,000 from Baltimore of the International League in 1925. Grove was a leading performer as the A's won pennants in 1929, 1930 and 1931.

McCoy became eligible to sign a contract at midnight Sunday under a Landis decree but he delayed until late this afternoon.

"I am happy to go to the Athletics," said McCoy, "because they look to me to have an up-and-coming young ball team. Also, I preferred to remain in the American League and I wanted to be certain that I would play second base, the position I feel that I can best hold down."

"Whoopee!" Shouts Mack

Earl Mack, giving vent to a loud "whoopee" when McCoy walked into his hotel and announced his decision, declared the "acquisition of McCoy completes what will be a grand infield. I don't say that we will be pennant contenders in 1940, but by 1941 we should be up in there."

Mack said Dick Seibert, with the A's last year, would be at first base again, McCoy at second, Bill Lillard, a recruit from San Francisco, at shortstop, and Al Rubeling, a rookie from Atlanta, at third base.

Incidentally, Philadelphia paid Atlanta $35,000 for Rumeling.

The Brooklyn Dodgers withdrew from the bidding for McCoy when their dynamic president, Larry MacPhail, a native of Grand Rapids, sent McCoy a telegram explaining that he thought it was in the best interests of the Dodgers and Benny that he go with some other club.

The Boston Bees, of the National League, and Washington, of the American, were not interested in topping the Philadelphia and Cincinnati offers, McCoy said.

McCoy was utilized at third base, second base, shortstop and in the outfield during his four years in the minors before joining Detroit midway of the 1939 season.

When Charley Gehringer, Detroit's star second sacker, suffered an injury McCoy broke into the lineup and batted .302 in 55 games.

McCoy said he planned to invest the $45,000 in annuities. He plans to stay in Grand Rapids until the spring training camp of the Athletics opens in California in early March. Mack said that he would return to Philadelphia as soon as possible.

McCoy's batting was undoubtedly the asset that caused the spirited bidding for his services. He has batted more than .300 every year except his first in organized baseball.

Reds Sign Two Former Detroit Players

Cincinnati, Jan. 29 (AP).—The Cincinnati Reds didn't get Benny McCoy out of Judge K. M. Landis' free agent grab bag today, but they did come up with a couple of pitchers.

Shortly after General Manager Warren C. Giles sadly announced he'd have to let Connie Mack and the A's pick up the check on Benny, Lloyd Dietz and Eugene Hinrichs, set loose from Detroit farm clubs, signed contracts with the Reds for 1940. Terms and money involved, as usual, were not disclosed.

HoyasLeaveToday For 3-Game Trip

The Georgetown baseketball team, fresh from an overwhelming victory over Loyola of Baltimore, will entertain this afternoon for West Point to open up a three-game road trip in New York State tomorrow.

After Army Hoyas meet Syracuse Thursday and Colgate on Friday night. Coach Elmer Ripley announced yesterday he would start the same rejuvenated line-up which walloped Loyola. That is Buddy O'Grady and Al Lujack at forwards; Jim Geibel at center, and Irving Rizzi and George Pajak at guards.

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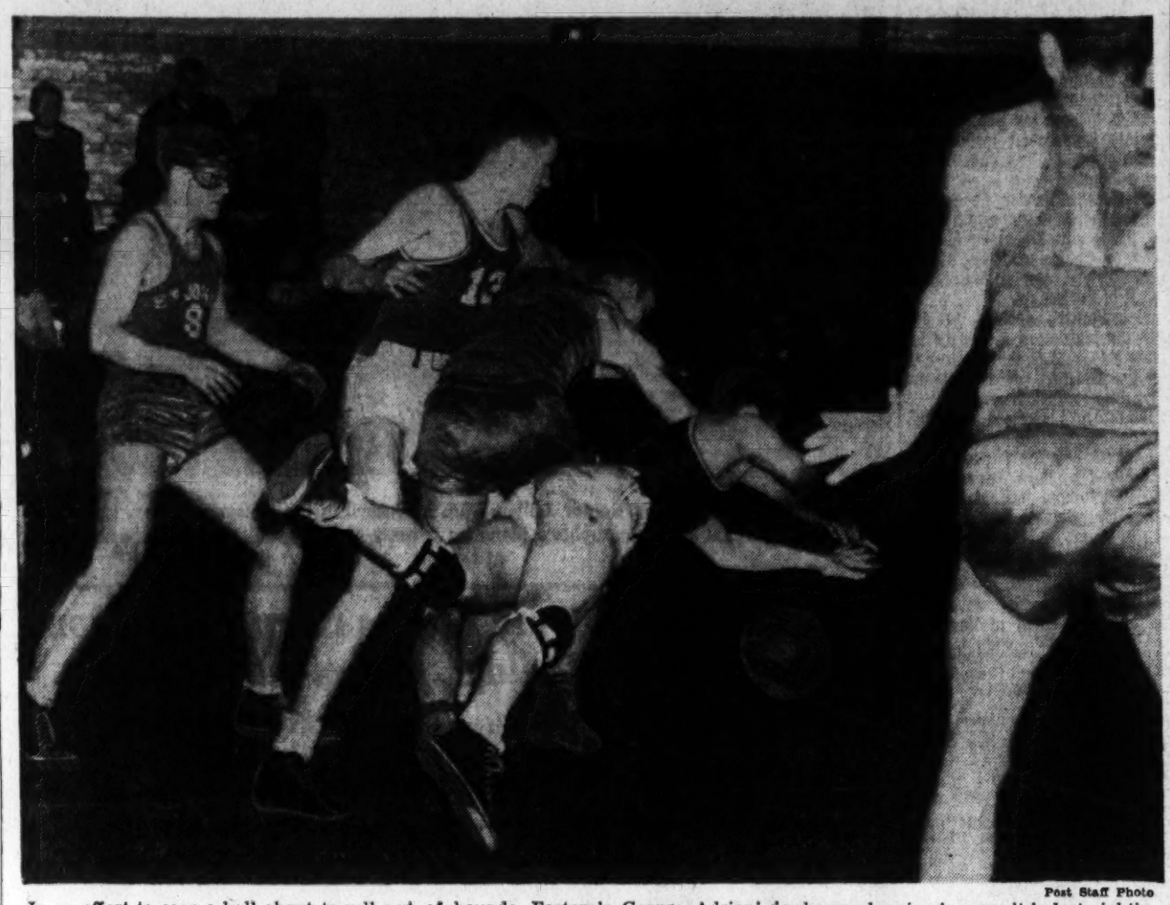
Sutherland Accepts Job as Dodger Coach

Twin Purpose Dive in Eastern-Johnnie Clash at Tech



Post Staff Photo

In an effort to save a ball about to roll out of bounds, Eastern's George Adriani is shown plunging in pursuit in last night's 34-26 victory over St. John's. The plunge, incidentally, effectively blocked out Dick Hathaway. Joe Essex is the other Eastern player in the thick of things, and Herbie Munhall and Joe Corrado (12), of the Johnnies, stand by

Former Pitt Mentor Gets 3-Year Pact

Salary Believed to Be Between $10,000 And $12,000; Topping Pleased

By the Associated Press

Pittsburgh, Jan. 29.—Dan Topping, owner of the Brooklyn football Dodgers, announced today Dr. John B. Sutherland, former Pitt coach, had agreed to coach the Dodgers for three years at an undisclosed salary, believed to be $10,000 or $12,000 a year.

Smiling broadly, the millionaire Topping said he was "tickled to death" to get Sutherland, who for 15 years had been one of the best coaches in college ranks. He said the formal signing of the contract would be carried out Wednesday at a luncheon for New York newspapermen in a New York hotel.

Sutherland's agreement to coach the professional team ended a year of speculation over his next job. He had been linked by rumor with a score of big-time colleges and teams.

Sutherland boasts one of the best all-time coaching records in football. In 15 years at Pitt, his team won 111 games, lost 20 and tied 12. During five years at Lafayette his teams won 33, lost 8 and tied 2.

He quit at Pitt early last year after a controversy with the school administration over athletic policies. He was said to have felt a new athletic code installed by Chancellor John G. Bowman did not make provision for the calibre of teams on Pitt's schedule.

Sutherland said he had 'no definite plans" for the Brooklyn setup, but added that he expected to spend as much time there as possible during the next six months.

Cady Defeats Frady to Gain Semifinals

1,800 See 126-Pound Boys Steal Golden Gloves Fight Card

One of the wildest swing sessions of the current Golden Gloves hit parade was staged last night in Turner's Arena as the tournament went into its quarter-final leg with two 126-pound novice fighters stealing the show before 1,800 fans.

Bernie Cady, unattached, slammed Bennie Fray, of Pete's A. C., to the floor twice in the course of their three-round engagement which dimmed the supposed highlight of the evening—the 147-pound senior battle between Nick Mancini, of Pete's A. C., and Frank McCaleb, of St. Mary's Boys Club of Alexandria.

Meets Kekeris Next

The night was without a clean knockout, but every bout was packed with that threat in the air. It was only the rugged determination of the quarter-finalists which enabled them to finish on their feet.

Mancini, who was all over McCaleb every minute, earned the decision and the right to meet Billy Kekeris in the February 8 finals for the senior championship. Cady, with a decision over Frady, will be back next week in the semifinals to fight Harry Kelley, of Police Boys

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Zale Upsets Hostak In Non-Title Match

Indiana Slugger Comes Back After No-Count Knockdown to Win Furious 10-Rounder; Middleweight Champ Groggy at End

By International News Service

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Al Hostak, Seattle, Wash., slugger, who is recognized as middleweight champion of the world in 46 States, lost a furious 10-round battle to Tony Zale, of Gary, Ind., in the Chicago Stadium tonight.

As both men came in over the weight limit at 162 pounds, the title did not change hands.

Hostak started at a tremendous clip, raking Zale, a former steel mills worker, with rights and lefts and dropping him for no count with a solid left hook midway in the first round.

But here Hostak learned quickly he was in for a tough evening. Zale arose and they threw punches wildly. Hostak was slowed up and a bit groggy at the bell.

They kept smashing at each other through the fourth twice fighting after the bell, and it was in the fifth—one of the hardest fought rounds ever waged in the stadium—that the most dramatic moments came.

Rapid-fire lefts and rights to the chin had Zale groggy a moment after the bell.

Zale came back and halted Hostak dead in his tracks with a fusillade of blows. The Seattle boy then got his heavy artillery working and punched Zale from pillar to post, hammering him all over the ring.

Dazed, reeling and weary, Zale hardly could keep his feet, but he wouldn't go down, and, in fact he finished the round with a great rally. Hostak's right eye was cut and Zale's badly swollen at the gong.

The World Gone Mad; A Millionaire Turns to Umpiring

By the Associated Press

Amsterdam, N. Y., Jan. 29.—A millionaire who loves baseball will be calling balls and strikes in the Canadian-American Class C League this year.

He is William Hayes, 22, of Rochester, N. H., chosen as one of three new umpires yesterday. Hayes officiated in the Piedmont League last year.

The arbiter, who inherited his fortune from a grandfather, Orrill H. Hayes, of Philadelphia, owns a semipro team in Rochester.

He recently announced he would be a candidate for the New Hampshire Legislature in next fall's primaries—but emphasized he did not plan to forsake baseball in general and umpiring in particular.

Public High Fives Take Bargain Bill

Eastern Tops Johnnies By 34-26; Central Beats Gonzaga, 32-26

By Bill Burnett

Their own promotions continued to backfire in the faces of St. John's and Gonzaga cage teams last night at Tech gym, the two Catholic prep clubs losing their fourth straight double-header to outside fives.

The Johnnies, after a rousing start and a tie score at the half, were trounced convincingly by Eastern, 34-26. Gonzaga lost to Central's improving basketers, 32-26.

Despite the fact it lost its sixth game in ten outings this season, St. John's, in the opinion of coaches, officials and spectators, looked better than at any time this season, and Gonzaga's was probably its worst of the year.

With Frank Cady supplying the punch, the Claret gave every indication it would win its first major game until midway of the third quarter. Then Eastern contrived for four 2-pointers in a row to take a 24-15 lead. St. John's was through after that.

After the first eight minutes, however, Cady had treated his mates to an 8-6 edge and the club was still in the running at the half with a 12-12 score on the board.

Against the best guarding Eastern could muster, Cady hung up the high point performance of the evening, 19. The bulky forward thus boosted his average of over 14 points a game almost out of the reach of other D. C. schoolboys.

A new star shone for Eastern in George Adriani, a first-year man. He and lanky Joe Essex registered 11 points apiece.

Purple Upset

Central's heavy victory was in line with the string of upsets it has scored this season. Its foe was well favored, even expected to win by 8 or 10 points, but no one could foresee the Purple's bluest Monday this year. Central's individualistic type of play completely baffled the Gonzagans.

It took the winners slightly more than one period to warm up to their task, but once they were started the outcome was never in doubt. Central's first quarter lead was a mere 9-8, but at the half that had been extended to 17-13. Seven points separated the clubs after three quarters, and Central was coasting at the end.

Charley Kligman and Sam Di Blasi stood out in the victory like a pair of giants. Kligman, a spindly forward with uncanny "pot shot" ability, scored 12 points, and the dependable Di Blasi beat that record by a point. What attack Gonzaga could manage was led by Lane O'Donnell, center, though Freddy Rice was credited with 12 points and honors for the team.

Gonzaga	G	FG	P	Central	G	FG	P
Rice, f	6	0	12	Kligman, f	5	2	12
Burke, f	0	1	1	Fisher, f	0	0	0
Mulvihill, f	2	2	6	L'rence, f	1	1	3
O'Donnell, c	2	0	4	Thomaides, f	1	0	2
Rowzee, g	1	0	2	DiBlasi, c	5	3	13
Lauck, g	0	0	0	Rock, c	0	0	0
C'selman, g	0	1	1	Steiner, g	0	0	0
B. O'Lone, g	0	0	0	Mandes, g	0	0	0
				Blaker, g	0	0	0
				Martin, g	1	0	2
				Saffron, g	0	0	0
Totals	11	4	26	Totals	13	6	32

Referees—Keppel and Doran (A. B.).

Eastern	G	FG	P	St. John's	G	FG	P
Adriani, f	5	1	11	Cady, f	8	3	19
Craig, f	0	0	0	Brogan, f	1	0	2
Essex, f	5	1	11	Munhall, c	0	2	2
Custer, c	1	0	2	Corrado, g	0	2	2
Shulman, g	2	2	6	O'Brien, g	0	0	0
Pigott, g	2	0	4	Hathaway, g	0	1	1
				Cooke, g	0	0	0
Totals	15	4	34	Totals	9	8	26

Referees—Enright and Gearty (A. B.).

South Carolina Rally Beats Terps, 33-30

Gamecocks Break 11-11 Half-Time Tie to Forge Ahead in Second Period

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 29.—The University of South Carolina's Gamecocks got together in the second half of a basketball game here tonight and handed the University of Maryland Terrapins a close defeat of 33 to 30.

The game was erratic in the first half, which ended in an 11-11 tie.

Neither team was able to muster a field goal until after seven minutes of the first half had elapsed. The Gamecocks missed some easy shots before their Anderson sank a basket from the floor. Later the Carolinians gathered steam and drove forward with Westmoreland doing the tossing. The margin for a short time was 11 to 5 in the Gamecocks' favor, but the Marylanders produced the tie before the half ended.

The entire second half saw the squads seesaw for the lead. However, with eight minutes of playing time left the Terrapins forced ahead with a 25-to-21 lead under Dewitt's superb basket shooting.

Maryland	G	FG	P	So. Carolina	G	FG	P
Dewitt, f	6	1	13	West'land, f	6	0	12
Duvall, f	3	1	7	Kalman, f	1	1	3
W'ooshea, f	0	2	2	Alexander, c	2	1	5
Weidinger, f	0	0	0	Edwards, c	0	2	2
W'worth, c	2	0	4	Loftdahl, g	2	0	4
Vannais, c	0	0	0	Anderson, g	2	2	6
Mondorff, g	2	0	4	Hymson, g	0	1	1
Res, g	0	0	0				
Totals	13	4	30	Totals	13	7	33

G. U., Maryland To Have Teams in Millrose Games

Maryland and Georgetown will be represented in the Millrose games at Madison Square Garden Saturday night. The Terps will will have a 2-mile relay in the meet for the first time and the Hoyas will enter their crack 1-mile quartet.

Mason Chronister, Al Miller, Tommy Fields and Bob Condon will comprise Maryland's 2-mile team and George Tucknott, Vinnie Braun, Ken Lyden and Morty Alnwick will run for Georgetown in the mile.

It will be the second start of the season for the Hilltopers who won their section of the mile race in the Grover Cleveland games two weeks ago.

Scores

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Butler, 43; Loyola, 30.
Alderson-Broaddus, 47; Bethany, 33.
Vanderbilt, 40; Kentucky, 32.
La. Normal, 56; Louisiana Tech, 37.
Arkansas St. Col., 69; Magnolia A. & M., 58.
Sioux Falls, 49; Western Union, 41.
Maryville Tchrs., 34; Springfield Th., 25.
Mich. State, 39; Baltimore Univ., 28.
Eastern (Ky.) Tchrs., 51; Kentucky Wesleyan, 33.
Evansville, 50; Univ. of Louisville, 43.
Pfeiffer, 33; St. Peter's, 28.
Geneva, 37; John Marshall, 24.
Carroll, 37; North Central (Naperville, Ill.), 28.
Concordia (Moorhead), 48; North Dakota State, 37.
Virginia, 34; Virginia Tech, 25.
Virginia Tech Frosh, 35; Jefferson Hich, 13.
South Carolina, 33; Maryland, 30.
Tulsa, 46; La Salle, 28.
Iowa, 24; South Dakota State, 23.
Iowa State, 58; Morningside, 36.
Western Kentucky, 44; Moorhead, 34.
Drake, 46; Washburn, 46.
Ball State, 45; Illinois Normal, 33.
Morris Harvey, 42; Emory and Henry, 39.
Oklahoma, 25; Missouri, 24.
William and Mary, 47; Furman, 37.
Randolph-Macon vs. Richmond, postponed.

COLLEGE SWIMMING

North Carolina, 45; Wm. and Mary, 31.

This Morning

Without Shirley Povich

During the vacation of Shirley Povich his column is being written by other members of the sports staff.

By Merrell W. Whittlesey

I'd like you to meet a man whose threat to roll a duckpin bowling ball from Washington to Baltimore led to the formation of the National Duckpin Bowling Congress, and who now is one of the most active sportsmen in the country—George Lincoln Isemann, just 50 years old, although you could mistake him for a Hollywood celebrity of 35, here for the President's birthday celebration.

WHITTLESEY

Or if you aren't familiar with the bowling congress, you may know him as the man who wrote Vice President John Nance Garner's campaign slogan in 1932, "Guaranteed Prosperity with Garner, the Great American from the South." Or if you're a track follower from way back you might remember him as the world's scholastic record holder for the 220 dash in 1908.

But that's not all. New England bowlers a decade ago may recall "The Masked Marvel," as no less a personage than George Isemann. Wine connisseurs should remember Isemann as manager of Christian Xander, largest wine base in the country. General Motors' managers of five States know him as sales manager for this territory, 1922-27. He also dabbled in real estate, was in the Army and now works 365 days a year, 16 hours per day, on the manifold problems of the Duckpin Bowling Congress.

Men of All Professions Know Him

University Park residents know Mr. and Mrs. George Isemann and their young daughter. Hotel and railroad men from Maine to Miami should know him for he travels more than 35,000 miles a year in the interest of duckpins. Central High cadet records include young Isemann as the best drilled service man in Company I. Bowling records of 1916 include a record 3,807 set for his team at Martinsburg, W. Va., with the old time rubber band pins.

In 1927, after Isemann's idea of rolling the ball along the old Baltimore Pike attracted the attention of local bowling moguls, he was made executive secretary of the National Duckpin Bowling Congress, with the late Representative Frederick N. Zihlman, of Maryland, as president. Connecticut, Maryland and the District comprised the duckpin domain at that time. Now it has been gradually extended along the entire Atlantic Seaboard—Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Vermont, Pennsylvania, the Carolinas, Georgia and Florida. Isemann gives credit to the ladies for the expansion, as 20 times more women bowl now than in 1927.

At present and for the last 12 years the sartorially perfect Isemann has had his hands full with his original hobby that now is his bread and butter. He handles all the finances of the congress, with no guarantee of his salary unless the alleys pay their dues. The financial statement for 1939 showed a $52 balance in the treasury, and that was a close call.

After trying to reach him all day yesterday we finally located our victim in the Rosslyn Bowling Alleys, while at the same time his wife expected him home for dinner. We asked why he didn't have a phone in his office in the Maryland Building, and he explained a phone meant a secretary and there was no allowance for an extra member on the pay roll in the closely budgeted affairs of the congress. He admitted he could use at least five employes in his office the year 'round.

Once a Fine Bowler, He's Inactive Now

Although he was runner-up in the city bowling tournament some time ago, was one of the dozen best bowlers in the city and won his share of tournament prizes, George has no time for bowling now. He fills in occasionally in a tournament just to round out the even men on the alleys, but he's lost the old touch.

This month and through the middle of May, Isemann will be busy with a personal appearance at every sanctioned event of the bowling congress. The first woman president of the body, Miss Bronson Quaites, Treasurer A. J. Fant and a half dozen executive committee members of the organization do their share but the bowlers expect Isemann for every event.

He's busy with his mailing list, preparing posters for the events, entry blanks, membership cards, sponsoring new tournaments, measuring alleys and a hundred-and-one other duties.

During the summer months Isemann makes contacts with alley managers, publishes the 225-page record book, prepares the schedule and makes scattered trips in States where they still favor tenpins in an attempt to get a foothold for the little pins. In the fall he's back on the tournament grind that extends from late September to middle May.

Outside of his regular duties, his chief ambition is increasing the territory. That is the only hope of a better financial status for the congress. New York and Pennsylvania are still cold to the fat little pins, while the American Bowling Congress has a firm hold in the West and in much of the South.

Boston put aside the candle pins for duckpins several years ago but the pin boys in the Hub City are not youngsters and they objected to the strenuous work of setting up the little fellows. So they went back to the big, cumbersome candle pins and that is one of the secretary's biggest disappointments.

His other ambition is the election of Garner to President of the United States. He's distributed a thousand or more pamphlets in his travels of late. And his 35,000 miles away from home each year include ten trips to Connecticut, two or three to Miami four or more to the Carolinas and countless overnight affairs to Virginia and Maryland.

He doesn't have office hours. If an excited bowler calls at 2 a. m. to tell of a record score and we ask for verification, the answer is call George Isemann, he knows 'em all by heart.

Big Rudy York Glad to Return To His Old Stand at First Base

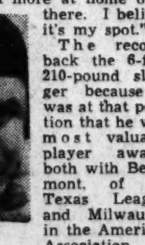
Georgia Slugger Believes Shift Will Lengthen His Span in Game and Improve His Batting; He Always Shined at This Position

By the Associated Press

Cartersville, Ga., Jan. 29.—It'll be old home week for hefty, hard-knocking Rudy York when he shifts from catching to first basing on the Detroit Baseball Club.

Asked what he thought of news reports that long Hank Greenberg would go into the outfield in the 1940 Tiger line-up to make room for the Georgian at first, York grinned widely, and said:

"It's mighty fine. I like it mighty well. I'll feel more at home over there. I believe it's my spot."



YORK

The records back the 6-foot 210-pound slugger because it was at that position that he won most valuable player awards both with Beaumont, of the Texas League, and Milwaukee in the American Association.

York admitted he always had wanted the Detroit first base job but "how could I get over there with Hank hitting the ball into the next country and fielding just a little under George Sisler?"

The Detroit management couldn't figure, either, for quite a spell and shifted the weak-fielding walloper from catcher to third to outfield and back to catch again before finally deciding to cut the gordian knot by moving Hankus Pankus.

York believes the move will lengthen his span in the majors and improve his batting. In addition, hopefully, "it should mean that I won't be bothered with any more broken fingers and thumbs. I h' two last year."

The 26-year-old socker said he hadn't received his 1940 contract but had talked with Jack Zeller, Tiger general manager, by telephone and expected the document to arrive any day now, bringing with it a bit of a pay boost.

Coming up to stay in 1937, York delighted the customers by walloping 35 home runs, driving in 103 runs, averaging .307 while playing in 104 games as a third baseman and catcher. Working in the outfield and behind the plate next season, he played in 135 games, hit 33 home runs, drove in 127 markers and averaged .298. Handicapped by his injuries, his homer production dropped to 20 in 102 games last year and his runs-driven-in totaled only 68, although his average moved back to .307.

Takoma Juniors Win

Jimmy Donnelly led the Takoma Junior Fire Department 145-pound team to a 48-43 victory over Washington Boys Club yesterday in the Takoma gym.

Campolo Wins By Knockout In U. S. Debut

By the United Press

Newark, N. J., Jan. 29.—Valentin Campolo, of Argentina, reputedly another "Wild Bull of the Pampas," made a questionable United States debut tonight by scoring a technical knockout over Jim Robinson, of Philadelphia, in the ninth round at Laurel Gardens.

Campolo, the Argentine giant who launched his North American campaign in the same club where Luis Angel Firpo was unveiled 18 years ago, stopped Robinson at 1:25 of the ninth round, after flooring him in that session for a count of nine.

Referee Paul Cavalier, former heavyweight fighter, interfered because Robinson was helpless and battered on the ropes and motioned big, black-haired Campolo away.

Campolo won on a tenchical knockout, but his showing was so unimpressive in the preceding rounds that he probably never would be considered as cannon fodder for Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis unless Valentin first joined the Chinese suicide squad.

In the eight rounds preceding the kayo, Robinson was well ahead, according to the United Press scoring. Big Jim had won five heats against two for the Latin invader, and the seventh was even.

The boxing writers had been forewarned that Campolo was a slow starter, but they didn't expect that it would require nine rounds for him to get under way. Particularly if Manager Jimmy Johnson was grooming him for Brown Bomber Louis, who loves slow starters.

Joe Gordon Balks At Yankee Terms

Eugene, Ore., Jan. 29 (AP).—Joe Gordon, second baseman of the New York Yankees, received his 1940 contract today, but said he would return it unsigned.

"I do think I'll write a note with the return of the document and see if I can't have the salary item boosted," he explained.

Earl Mack Watches Benny McCoy Punch the Right Key

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Benny McCoy (left) punches his price on a cash register key as Earl Mack (center), son of Connie Mack, looks on and Bill McKechnie, manager of the Cincinnati Reds, watches for the figure. Mack, acting for his father, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, was successful in signing the former Detroit infielder for $45,000 and a two-year contract at $10,000 per year

Eagles Ready to Meet Fight Tactics of Sea Gulls Tonight

Rough Battle Is Expected At Riverside

Baltimore Passes Washington Sextet In League Race; Courteau to Play

By Jack Munhall.

With the permission of Coach Red Mackenzie, the Washington Eagles tonight will be prepared to curb for nce and all the rough tactics of the tlantic City Sea Gulls as the East- rn Amateur League rivals clash at iverside Stadium at 8:30 o'clock.

Fed up with the unnecessarily ough tactics of the Sea Gulls, whom e claims are instructed to play that ay to unbalance their foes, Mac- enzie now believes his only re- ourse is to meet fire with fire, so speak.

"I've found to my sorrow that ou can't play ice hockey against at gang. You've got to beat them hockey and you've got to fight ke the devil to prevent being ysically beaten. As long as ou let the Gulls bully you they'll ntinue to do it. I think if we ow 'em we can be just as mean they are, if necessary, they might tte down and stick to the game.

ay Their Style

"So I've instructed my team to- ght to pattern their style of play Atlantic City's. If they play an hockey, so will we. But if ey want to mix hockey with rroom brawling, then they'll find different proposition on their nds. Bill Davies, Bill Cairns, hnny McTeer and Ross Knipfel e just a few Eagles who are just tough as anybody Atlantic City's t, and they're ready."

The Eagles, trailing the league- ading Rovers by seven points and third place behind Baltimore, ll be striving for their fourteenth ctory in 18 home matches.

Contrary to its miserable road cord, which lists only four tri- mphs in 15 starts, Washington is rhaps the toughest team in the ague to beat on its own rink, as en the Rovers have learned. The ason for this, according to Mac- enzie, is the great difference in e here and abroad. He claims e playing surface at Riverside is far the fastest in the league and, ce accustomed to effortless skat- g here, the Eagles find it diffi- lt to get about on rinks much wer, such as River Vale's and lantic City's.

ail in Series

Washington, beaten by the Sea ulls in Atlantic City Saturday ght, needs a victory tonight to en their current series with the ulls. Of eight matches the Gulls ve won four. One was a tie.

Paul Courteau, scrappy little wing d lately one of Washington's best rers, has won his argument with ach Mackenzie and will be avail- le for action. Courteau suffered ack sprain in Atlantic City Sat- day and Mackenzie has feared would not be able to play.

Marked men among the Sea Gulls ll be Phil Vitale, Red Storey and cAndrews, a newcomer at defense. orey and Vitale all season have en battling with various members the Eagles whiles McAndrews in- rred Washington's dislike Satur- y by fighting with the usually aceful Hal Dewey. Since it was e first time Dewey has been forced use his fists this campaign the gles feel the fight was of Mc- drews' making.

ries.	Position.	Sea Gulls.
) Lee	Goal	McQueston (1)
) Davies	L.D.	McAndrews (8)
) Burrage	R.D.	Vitale (12)
) Covert	Center	Webster (6)
) McKillop	L.W.	Pozzo (2)
) Dewey	R.W.	Powers (9)

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Washington Eagles—Germann (2), Mc- er (4), Knipfel (5), Lahti (6), Partis , Courteau (8), Cairns (10), Ramsay), Colvin (17), Foster (19).

Atlantic City Sea Gulls—Storey (3), lly (4), Groom (5), Brenchley (7), Liv- ston (10), Tustin (11), Fasano (14), rns (13), Scott (16).

Easter Trip Features G. U. Golf Schedule

An Easter Week trip through the uth was the feature of the George- wn University golf team sched- e released yesterday by Coach ny Sylvester, Capital Club profes- nal. The card includes the usual astern Intercollegiate League atches and outside engagements th Duke, Navy and Catholic U. The schedule for the Easter trip s not been completed but a few ys of golf at Pinehurst and matches th Duke, North Carolina and rth Carolina schools are planned.

Navy will make its first trip to ashington to meet Georgetown any sport, playing the Blue and y May 25 at Capital. Bobby rownell's Duke team will be here ril 30, on a site to be decided. hile Catholic U., a newcomer to e schedule, has not yet set a date course for the match.

The League engagements are rinceton and Penn the week-end May 4-5 at Princeton and Pitts- rgh, Penn State and Cornell the eek-end of May 10-11 at Pitts- rgh.

A tune-up match with the Catoc- n Club, of Frederick, is also on e card, at a date to be named, hile several other matches are nding, including one with Bos- n College.

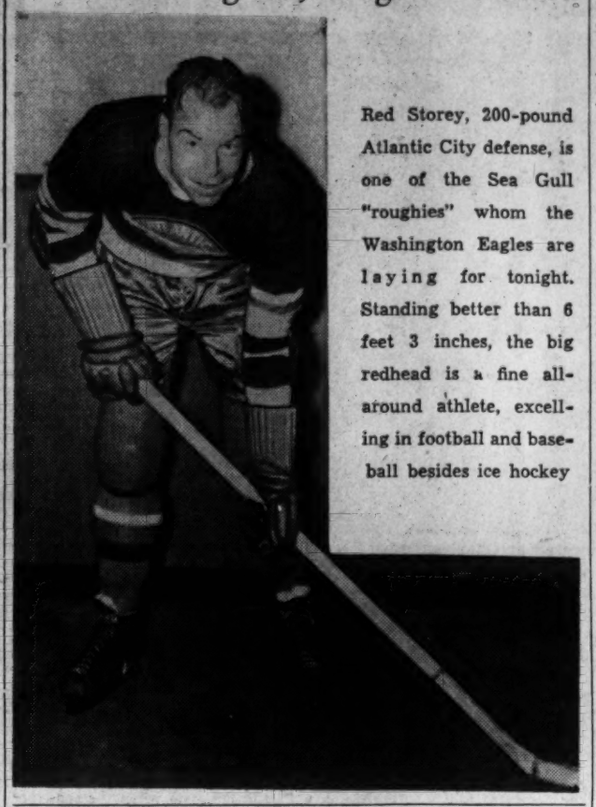
Johnny Burke, the former Inter- llegiate champion, in his senior ar at the Hilltop, will lead the am on the southern trip, as Coach vester will be unable to get way from the club. M. W. W.

Tiger Farm Product Signs With White Sox

Chicago, Jan. 29 (AP).—Edwin Wie- nd, a young right-handed pitcher ho was one of the 91 players de- ared free agents when Baseball ommissioner Kenesaw Landis up- t the Detroit Tigers farm system, nuary 14, was signed today by the hicago White Sox.

Wieland, 22 years old, 6 feet 1 inch ll and weighing 190 pounds, was a ember last year of the Henderson ast Texas League Club, for which e won 14 games and lost 8. He will ake the spring training trip with e Sox.

Sea Gulls' Roughest, Toughest 'Meanie'



Red Storey, 200-pound Atlantic City defense, is one of the Sea Gull "roughies" whom the Washington Eagles are laying for tonight. Standing better than 6 feet 3 inches, the big redhead is a fine all-around athlete, excelling in football and baseball besides ice hockey

On the Line

With CONSIDINE

New York, Jan. 29 (INS).—Unless the Phillies and the Browns win their respective pennants, or Lou Chiozza leads both leagues in home runs, the event of the 1940 baseball season may well be the resurrection of Judge Landis.

CONSIDINE

The boys had begun to take the venerable gaffer as pretty much of a harmless old codger, given to striking hammy poses for the camera boys and moulting annual statements to the newspapers in which he made the daring observation that baseball was the national game. His old-time militance became more of a memory than a threat. His last bit of rumpus-raising had been a wholesale release of a lot of fifth-rate St. Louis Cardinals' farm players, and a couple of years before that he had seemed to take the easy way out on the question of whether or not Cleveland had fenagled itself out of Bobby Feller.

As a czar he seemed on the point of abdication. He was becoming more of an employe of the big league owners—who hire him—than their peculiarly autocratic boss.

But if the old war horse was hibernating, there was still a lot of ginger left in him. He was giving off ominous rumbles on the annihilation of the Detroit farm system as early as last May, when he quietly summoned Jack Zeller and young Spike Briggs to Chicago, along with lesser officials of the Tigers.

Two Contract Clauses Give Landis Broad Power

At the winter meeting last December Larry MacPhail and Branch Rickey introduced motions that would make the old jedge stick by the letter of the farm-team laws, and stop interpreting and amplifying. It was all that was needed to set Landis off He exploded:

"Gentlemen, you forget that I am still your boss," and since that time he has been a terror that has his employers, the owners, shaking like beans in a rumba gourd. It is perhaps the strangest master-and-servant situation in the world today. Do you know of a parallel case where an employe has the right not only to tell the employers what to do, but run them out of business if they don't.

There are two clauses in Landis' contract that, for breath-taking scope, are hard to believe. One reads:

"The major and minor leagues severally agree to be bound by the decisions of the commissioner (Landis) rendered in accordance with this agreement, and they severally waive such right of recourse to the courts as would otherwise have existed in their favor." The other reads:

"Punitive action which the commissioner may take against any offender for what he deems conduct detrimental to baseball shall include any or all of the following: public reprimand, a fine not to exceed $1,000, suspension, removal from office or a declaration of temporary or permanent ineligibility." Only men in a composite fit of contrition (as the monguls were after the Black Sox scandal) could have surrendered thus.

He Could Fine Barrow, Break Up Yanks

Landis could fire Ed Barrow, close up the Yankees and let the three lady owners worry about the $10,000,000 loss—if he so chose. And it is extremely doubtful if they could get a court to set aside his verdict. The case of Rogers Hornsby is a sample of the power he holds over players and managers, even though the man concerned happens to be a great favorite with press, public and baseball in general. He even had Hornsby barred from the press box during the 1938 World Series. The World Series is practically Landis' personal oyster. Under the terms of his contract he can stop the series during any inning of any game therein, or arbitrarily decide not to stage one.

He is going into his twentieth year in the autocrat business, but the mellowness which seemed to be coming to him, to the delight of some of his corner-cutting bosses(so-called), was an optical illusion. The seven-year contract he signed at the end of 1933, at $40,000 a year, is up at the end of this season. There may be a move to give him a kiss-off and put in some easier-going politician of rank. But you can be certain that all such discussions will be done in whispers behind locked doors. The boys are frankly afraid of the testy old taskmaster—so afraid of his power and his scorn that what they probably will do is offer him another long contract.

Because he can make them wince with a stare, and jump at the snap of his boney knuckles, we believe the owners will adopt his suggestion reorganizing the theory of farm teams.

Landis advanced it in the nature of a "suggestion," which probably accounts for the few barbs a couple of the owners have been brave enough to direct at it. If he had made his language stronger, when he outlined the sweeping reform, it would go into effect at the next joint meeting. No sensible owner combats Landis, and few risk disagreeing with him on even minor points.

Phil Ball, the late owner of the Browns, took the last real swing at Landis. In 1931 he took him to court for declaring one of his ball players a free agent. The case was thrown out of court. Nobody has thrown a punch at the mop-haired old jedge since then. And darn few have even dared to feint against him, for fear of being brained by the biggest big stick known to any U. S. industry.

Wiffy Cox's 56 Listed Among World's Lowest Golf Rounds

Wiffy Cox's 10-under-par round of 56 over the Marine and Field golf course in Brooklyn was one of 16 of the world's lowest golf rounds included in the monthly release of the Golf Press Bulletin yesterday.

Cox's round and George Duncan's 56 at Oxenfels, Switzerland, were the two lowest recorded Wiffy, pro at Congressional Club, played the Marine and Field Club, par 33 on each nine, in 29, 27, in 1929.

But the 16 scores did not include Cox's 63 at Kenwood, his former pro post, several years ago, nor his 64 at Westchester-Biltmore, that he considers one of his greatest rounds, scored in National Open qualifying competition.

WIFFY COX

Two other local golfers are well qualified to make the list. Roger Peacock doubly so for his pair of 62s at Indian Spring and Al Houghton for a 61 at Washington Golf and Country Club, the latter round including a ball out of bounds.

Most recent round on the list was Harold McSpaden's great 59 last winter in San Antonio, after which he went out and spent two hours on the practice tee.

Others included:

Billy Burke shot 62 on No. 1 Belleair, Fla.; Denny Shute shot 63 on Palma Ceia, Tampa; Walter Hagen shot 63 on No. 1 Belleair, Fla.; J. L. Black shot 58 on Claremont, Calif.

Johnny Revolta shot 61 on Swan Lake, Wis.; Norman Quigley shot 58 on Windermere, in England; Ky Laffoon shot 61 on Schifferdecker, Mo.; Orville White shot 60 on Overton Park, Tenn.

Phil Taylor shot 61 on Oak Bay, Victoria; Dewey Longworth shot 62 on Claremont, Calif.; Joe Turnesa shot 62 on Nassau, Bahamas; Ben Richter shot 58 on Catalina; Sam King shot 63 on Brighton course, in England.

Grace Armory Is Medalist In Miami Golf

Patty Berg Trails By Single Stroke; Mrs. Pray Qualifies

By the Associated Press

Coral Gales, Fla., Jan. 29.—Grace Amory, of Palm Beach, won the qualifying medal in the Miami Biltmore Women's Golf Tournament today with a two-under-par 80, a single stroke better than the favored Patty Berg, of Minneapolis, and three others.

Miss Berg, minus the appendix that forced her to the sidelines seven months ago, sliced a stroke off par with Betty Jameson, of San Antonio, Tex., the national champion; Marion Miley, of Lexington, Ky., and Dorothy Kirby, of Atlanta.

Elizabeth Hicks, of Long Beach, Calif., and Mrs. Hunter S. Robbins, of Spring Lake, Mich., scored 82's, making a total of seven golfers who shot par or better.

Out, Back in 40

Shirley Ann Johnson, of Winnetka, Ill., carded an 83; Clara Callender, of Long Beach, an 84, and Jane Cothran, of Greenville, S. C., and Mrs. Leon Solomon, of Memphis, Tenn., scored 85's.

Mrs. L. G. Pray, Washington, qualified for the third flight with 47-51—98. Tomorrow she plays Mrs. F. A. Dowling, Toledo, who qualified with 52-53—105.

Miss Amory, who competed in foreign tournaments for several years, equaled par 40 on the first nine and bettered regulation figures by two shots with another 40 coming back. Altogether, she had five birdies and three bogeys and scored pars on the other holes.

Miss Berg, back in the form that carried her to the national title before her illness, whipped out a first-nine 40 and came home in 41. Although the scores indicated Miss Berg was in for plenty of competition, she remained the favorite to win her fifth consecutive Biltmore tournament. Match play, which begins tomorrow, is Patty's forte.

32 Qualifiers

The nine-hole scores for Miss Jameson and Miss Miley, winner of the recent Punta Gorda tournament, were 41-40, while Miss Kirby, runner-up to Miss Jameson in the national, went out in 39, back in 42.

Thirty-two golfers qualified for the top division, and a preliminary round of match play tomorrow will divide them into flights of 16. Two rounds are scheduled for Wednesday, with the semifinals Thursday and the 36-hole final match Friday.

Tech Upsets Maryland U. Frosh, 33-22

Young Terps Lead At Halftime; Walsh Leads Tech Scorers

McKinley Tech's cagers turned the heat on Maryland University freshmen in the last half yesterday, winning by a 33-22 margin in an upset at College Park.

For the first half the teams battled on even terms, the Terp yearlings holding a slim 16-15 edge at intermission. Then, behind Jack Walsh, Marshall Dellinger and Dutch Teeple, the Manual Trainers went on top and increased their advantage with every minute.

Walsh was the big gun in the winner's attack, scoring nine points. Buddy Webb and Teeple turned in eight each and Dellinger scored seven, at the same time leading Tech's floor game. Gordy was outstanding for the losers with eight points.

Md. Frosh.	G	FG	P	Tech.	G	FG	P
Johnson,f.	2	0	4	Dellinger,f.	3	1	7
Horn,f.	1	0	2	Brewer,f.	0	0	0
Floyd,f.	0	1	1	Burnette,f.	0	0	0
Gordy,c.	3	2	8	Walsh,f.	4	1	9
Greir,g.	2	1	5	Barton,c.	0	0	0
Fetters,g.	0	0	0	Webb,c.	4	0	8
Bauman,g.	1	0	2	Boyle,c.	0	0	0
				Ellis,g.	0	1	1
Totals	9	4	22	Swor,g.	0	0	0
				Teeple,g.	4	0	8
				Kelly,g.	0	0	0
				Totals	15	3	33

Referee—Uhrinak.

Red Sox Hurler Signs at Increase

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 29 (AP).—Emerson Dickman said today he had received and signed a contract for 1940 with the Boston Red Sox "at a substantial increase."

The Red Sox pitcher, going into his third season in the American League, said he scaled 185, 10 pounds heavier than when he reported last year.

At the same time, 19-year-old Sebastian Sisti, also of Buffalo, revealed he had signed and returned a contract to the Boston National League Bees. The rookie did not disclose terms, but said they were "very satisfactory."

Pat Dengis Memorial Race Set for Boston

Boston, Jan. 29 (AP).—A special 3-mile race, dedicated to Pat Dengis, the late national marathon champion, has been added to the list of the Boston A. A. meet's feature events, it was announced today.

It will be a part of the track program at the Boston garden on February 11. The initial field will be limited to participants in the last five Boston A. A. marathons.

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California On Michigan Football Card

Wolverines Travel To Coast Sept. 28; Meet 4 Big Ten Foes

By the Associated Press

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 29.—University of Michigan will open its 1940 football season on the Pacific Coast against the Golden Bears of University of California. The game will be played September 28 at Berkeley.

Michigan was left with an open date November 2 after the retirement of Chicago from intercollegiate football. This date will be left open to give Michigan a breathing spell before its important engagement with Minnesota at Minneapolis November 9.

Under Western Conference rules members are limited to eight games.

The early game with California will not disturb the traditional opening home game at Ann Arbor in which Michigan plays Michigan State College.

California had been in the picture since Chicago announced its withdrawal, but actual negotiations did not begin until a week ago.

With its schedule completed, Michigan finds itself with 1940 engagements on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. The Wolverines play Harvard October 12 at Cambridge, Mass.

The 1940 football schedule is also noteworthy in that only two conference teams will be met at Ann Arbor. They are Illinois and Northwestern. Both Ohio State and Minnesota will be met away from home.

California Heavy Signed To Meet Brown

Mickey McAvoy, Irish Boxer, Is Sparring Partner for Billy Conn

Mickey McAvoy, California Irish heavyweight, was conscripted yesterday by Matchmaker Goldie Ahearn to fight Natie Brown, Washington's aging warrior, Monday night in the eight-round headline match at Turner's Arena.

The West Coast fighter, far from a newcomer to the fight business, is in New York, where he has been assisting Billy Conn, light-heavyweight champion, train for his February 28 date with Gus Lesnevich in Miami.

Except for the distinction of appearing with Hollywood Film Idol Robert Taylor in "The Crowd Roars," and the fact that he has been a Joe Louis sparring partner, there's little that can be said about the fighting ability of McAvoy.

Not to be confused with the light-heavy, Jock McAvoy, Mickey is a 6-foot-3 205-pounder said to possess a heavy punch in either hand. The record shows an eighth-round knockout at the hands of Italo Colonello in 1937 and his history since then consists of a fairly successful string of preliminary appearances.

Nadi, World's Outstanding Fencer, Dies

(By Telephone to the New York Times)

Rome, Jan. 29.—Nedo Nadi, three times Olympic fencing champion and recognized for many years as the world's greatest fencer, died suddenly last night in Rome of cerebral hemorrhage. Nadi, who was 46, won his first tournament at the age of 14 in Vienna and from then on gathered innumerable victories.

He won the Olympic championship first at Stockholm in 1912, the unofficial Olympics of 1919 at Joinville Le Pont and the official Olympics the next year at Antwerp. In the last named he won not only with the foil but the saber and led his Italian team to a clean sweep.

Then he turned professional, winning his last world's championship at Antwerp in 1930. He wrote regularly for newspapers and magazines on his sport.

Sundra and Grissom Sign Yank Contracts

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—Signed contracts of two pitchers—Steve Sundra and Lee (Lefty) Grissom—were received by the New York Yankees today. Sundra won 11 straight last year before dropping his last game of the season. Grissom was obtained in a recent deal with the Cincinnati Reds.

Film of '36 Olympic Games Heartily Indorsed in Preview

Here is the beginning of the toss with which Ken Carpenter established an Olympic record of 165 feet 7⅞ inches in the 1936 games in Berlin. Action pictures of this throw and of many other events of the Olympics of that year can be seen in the film "Olympia" opening at the Belasco Theater Friday

Two-Hour 'Olympia,' Slated for Run Here, Termed Useful for Track and Swimming Students; Propaganda Is Cut

By Jack Munhall.

Olympia, motion film record of the 1936 Olympic games in Berlin, was given its first local showing at Twentieth Century-Fox Studios yesterday and reviewing newspapermen heartily indorsed it as embodying some of the finest pictures ever seen of great athletes in action.

Lasting almost two hours this picture, shot by 52 cameramen who turned in the unprecedented single-picture total of 1,110,000 feet of negative, presented in swift moving fashion a panorama of the meet to which 51 nations sent representatives.

Nowhere in it was noted any evidence of Nazi propaganda as was charged by Hollywood officials, who until this time had succeeded in boycotting the picture.

It is heartily recommended to all moviegoers who may see its public American premiere for four weeks, starting Friday, at the Belasco Theater. Especially is this film indorsed for students and coaches of track and swimming for in it are matchless close-ups of the greatest exponents of these sports displaying the form which made them famous.

Owens Shots Good

For instance, Jesse Owens, the great United States Negro track and field star, is seen as he crouched on the mark in the 100-yard dash and broad jump. You see his perfect stance and his tenseness as the starter gives the warning signal. Then you are awed by the bunching of the muscles in his steel-like legs as he springs off like a human cannonball. These strips of Owens and underwater pictures of several swimming races are in themselves enough to make Olympia worthwhile seeing.

In addition to these features there are incredibly exciting and artistic shots of pole vaulting at night; of husky shot and discus throwers and graceful women divers and men hurdlers, and of iron-lunged distance runners straining and sweating in thrillingly close finishes.

The picture symbolizes the spirit of the Olympiad. Its prologue takes you back to ancient Athens where the first games were held. There are breathtaking, beautiful shots of bronze statues of immortal Roman athletes standing powerful and impressive among the ruins of once majestic Greece.

Clever Transition

The transition from Athens to Berlin is done cleverly. A picture of a bronze discus thrower, a magnificently proportioned individual, fades out slowly and of a sudden you are looking at real flesh and blood; another discus thrower who appears the twin of the first.

From then on in quick succession are shown the various events. Each race or field contest presented is seen practically in its entirety, even to 3,000-meter races. The camera records a gamut of facial emotions. The strained, distorted features of the long-distance runner as he turns loose in the final gruelling yards; the determined, stern features of the athelete facing his big test and hilarious flashes of the winners and their excited supporters.

Olympia was filmed by command of Adolf Hitler. Its supervision was left to Miss Leni Riefenstahl who worked two years to assemble it into a presentable picture. At first showing, in Europe, the picture ran for four hours. But that was deemed too long and for its American premiere Olympia was pared more than 50 per cent. Still it gives a good cross-section view of the colorful Olympics and manages to catch the fine spirit of this international spectacle.

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Lazear Leads Explorers Against C. U.

Hard-Hitting Welter Makes First Start In All-Local Bout

The long-awaited debut of Columbus University's terrific punching Ralph ("Buddy") Lazear against major opposition locally will be featured at Brookland gymnasium Saturday night when the Fighting Explorers oppose Catholic University's clouting Cardinals at 8:30 o'clock.

Lazear, who has scored nine knockouts in ten starts with Columbus U. and who is considered one of the greatest punching college welterweights in the country, will be paired with Huck Hughes, Catholic U's game and fast-improving youngster.

Lazear created a sensation last season by scoring short order knockouts over every man to oppose him on a schedule that included DeSales College, of Toledo; the University of Tennessee; Kentucky, the Louisiana State.

Although Lazear has scored sensationally against out-of-town opponents this is his first appearance against a representative of a local college and much interest will surround his bout Saturday night.

Although the undefeated Cardinals will rule a heavy favorite over Columbus U. Saturday night, Coach Jim McNamara, of the Explorers, yesterday insisted that his warriors may surprise in several spots.

"Our squad's in much better shape that it was when we lost to Miami," McNamara avers, "and we will be out to make our best possible showing against C. U."

Mt. Rainier J. V. Quintet Wins, 29-15

Led by the offensive and defensive play of George Landolt, who scored 15 points, Mount Rainier High School's junior varsity yesterday defeated Bowie jayvees, 29-15, at Mount Rainier. Buddy Kersee, with 10 points, was second high scorer for the winners, who took the lead at the start and steadily drew away.

Mt. Rainier.	G	FG	P	Bowie.	G	FG	P
Landolt,f.	7	1	15	Shesgogue,f.	3	2	8
Funk,f.	0	0	0	Woods,f.	1	0	2
Johnson,f.	0	0	0	Howard,c.	1	1	3
Wentz,c.	0	0	0	Boswell,g.	1	0	2
Worley,c.	1	0	2	Horwitz,g.	0	0	0
Daniels,c.	1	0	2	Atkinson,g.	0	0	0
Rodrigues,g.	0	0	0				
Kerser,g.	5	0	10	Totals	6	3	15
Dorr,g.	0	0	0				
Lang,g.	0	0	0				
Totals	14	1	29				

Referee—Landolt. Umpire—O'Connor.

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Charlienfeld Breaks Jinx, Wins Feature at Hialeah Park

Crowd Takes Beating as FavoritesBow

Victor in Feature Pays Only a $2.70 Ticket, Lowest of Current Meeting

By the Associated Press

Hialeah Park, Fla., Jan. 29.—After eight straight public choices had tasted defeat, F. J. Buchanan's Charlienfeld broke the jinx for the talent by winning the featured Tavernier Purse, a 6-furlong dash for 3-year-olds, here this afternoon. However, there was little "nourishment" for depleted bankrolls, for the gelded son of Zachaweista was the shortest priced winner of the meeting, paying $2.70 straight.

E. R. Bradley's Betty's Bobby was a nonthreatening second, two lengths behind and four better than Wesley M. Sears' Dusky Duke. Six started.

The last winning choice prior to Charlieinfeld was Warren Wright's Little Risk, which captured the fifth race Saturday.

The winner and Derby Dallas, which beat one horse, are eligibles for next Saturday's $5,000 added, 7-furlong Bahamas Handicap. The latter will serve as a final trial for Flamingo Stakes candidates.

Winner Away Early

Although a break in the cold spell was predicted and the temperature was rising slowly, patrons took no chances. They again visited the track bundled in Northern type clothes.

There was little to the running of the Tavernier. Charlieinfeld, one of the fastest horses in training, but a sprinter noted as much for his stopping tendencies as for his speed, dashed to the front a few strides after the break. He opened up the anticipated four lengths or so and showed no signs of faltering in the stretch run. Cuckoo-Man found the early pace too much for him and stopped as Betty's Bobby took up the chase. Dusky Duke easily annexed the show. The time was 1:11 1-5.

Don Pecos Wins

After a brief interruption, the long shot parade got going again when Do Pecos, a $24.80 for $2 shot, barely managed to beat out Sun Mica in the photo finish of the seventh race. Apprentice Jack Flinchum, substituting for the ailing Johnny Harrell, did a neat job of rating Don Pecos behind Sun Mica's pace to the stretch. Flinchum then sent Don Pecus into a narrow lead and, after a bitter duel, his mount was victor by a nose. Sun Mica saved the place by two lengths while the fancied Redbreast was a belated third. Joe Rosen, who rode Sun Mica, made a futile claim of foul again the winner.

Plummer and Evans In Mat Preliminary

Don Evans and Lou Plummer will take over the feature preliminary role Thursday night in the wrestling ring at Turner's Arena on the card headlined by Steve Casey and Joe Cox.

Jim Austerl, newcomer from Italy, will make his debut in a lesser prelim with Tommy O'Toole.

Hialeah Park Entries With Marvel Ratings

By the Associated Press

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs; purse, $800; 2-year-old maidens.

No.	Horse and Jockey.	Wt.	Odd	Rate
8	†Zacatine (Anderson)	118	15-1	...
9	Blushing Bride (R'b'tson)	118	12-1	...
10	Tea Ring (Rosen)	118	20-1	...
11	Pari King (Roberts)	118	6-1	...
12	Lochlea (Arcaro)	118	5-2	...
13	New Year (Steffen)	118	8-1	...
14	Mental Giant (Donoso)	118	5-1	...
15	†Waller (Wright)	118	15-1	...
1	David's Gal (Robertson)	115	20-1	...
2	Not Yet (No Boy)	115	6-1	...
3	Quienes (Stout)	118	6-1	...
4	Maezaca (No Boy)	118	15-1	...
5	Easy Blend (Haas)	118	10-1	...
6	Alcinous (Meade)	118	10-1	...

†P. J. Buchanan-J. C. Clarke entry.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	Satin Marvel (Ashcroft)	113	20-1	317
8	Jock's Boy (Meade)	108	5-1	325
9	No Ending (Johnson)	115	3-1	330
10	*Dreel (Johnston)	112	6-1	325
11	Tilaana (Donoso)	110	20-1	317
12	*Filandro (Durando)	108	20-1	317
1	Harpen Belle (Robart)	110	20-1	323
2	Jet (Stout)	110	3-1	319
3	Gaona (Robertson)	113	20-1	314
4	My First (Wholey)	115	6-1	322
5	Morning Mail (Roberts)	117	6-1	319
6	Ghost Train (Arcaro)	115	8-1	323

THIRD RACE—Six and one-half furlongs; purse, $1,100; for 3-year-olds.

7	Air Speed (R. W. Smith)	110	12-1	311
8	Ship Biscuit (Ashcroft)	118	4-1	322
9	Multitude (Donoso)	118	8-1	327
10	Big Brand's Son (H'tios)	118	20-1	315
11	Haste On (Haas)	118	5-2	322
12	Inscolad (Ryan)	118	15-1	334
1	Steep (No Boy)	113	20-1	313
2	Toy Foot (Anderson)	113	12-1	314
3	*Nightland (Flinchum)	113	5-2	322
4	*Jessie Gladys (C'rella)	108	5-1	321
5	Rose-Ouzel (Seabo)	105	20-1	320
6	Bright Blue (F. A. Smith)	113	10-1	319

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs; the Granada; purse, $1,200; 4-year-olds and upward.

5	†Sea Captain (A'croft)	114	5-2	341
6	Equilibrium (F. A. Smith)	102	3-1	326
7	High One (Rosen)	116	10-1	332
8	Big Peeble (No Boy)	105	20-1	328
1	†Stormscud (Ashcroft)	116	10-1	355
2	*Mar Le (Durando)	111	5-2	336
3	Gleeman (R. W. Smith)	104	4-1	346
4	*Calexico (Caffarella)	109	20-1	336

†Wheatley Stable entry.

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs; the St. Petersburg; purse, $1,200; 4-year-olds and upward; fillies and mares.

6	*Parscout (Flinchum)	103	15-1	347
7	Flying Lill (Meade)	115	4-1	341
8	*Dolly Val (Packer)	115	8-1	339
9	*Lady Maryland (D'ando)	115	3-1	346
1	Flying Lee (Robertson)	114	15-1	337
2	*Harp Weaver (Winn)	112	20-1	339
3	†Unerring (Ryan)	115	2-1	349
4	†Inscolda (Ryan)	112	2-1	330
5	Be Blue (Stevenson)	117	5-1	348

†Woolford Farm entry.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $1,200; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

4	*Busy Morn (Durando)	107	8-1	330
8	*Piccolo (Flinchum)	101	4-1	339
1	Solarium (Meade)	109	3-1	330
2	*Balloter (Caffarella)	108	6-5	331
3	Early Settler (Roberts)	108	10-1	327

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles (on the turf); purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

7	*Corsica (Flinchum)	98	10-1	316
8	*Panjab (Durando)	106	5-2	319
9	Alsura (Meade)	107	12-1	321
10	Polly Porter (R. W. Smith)	106	20-1	313
11	*Jay Bee Dee (Winn)	107	20-1	316
12	Ken's Pop (Roberts)	108	5-1	317
1	Witch Ball (Seabo)	107	15-1	311
2	*Mumble (Caffarella)	113	8-1	322
3	Gay Hour (Robart)	108	10-1	314
4	Burning Stick (Arcaro)	110	8-1	315
5	*Welding (Packer)	102	6-1	322
6	*Golden Cargo (No Boy)	98	20-1	316

EIGHTH RACE—One mile and a quarter; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

4	Conrad Mann (Packer)	112	5-2	325
7	Palamede (Robertson)	115	4-1	335
8	*Play Gold (Flinchum)	115	2-1	327
1	Double R. (Young)	113	10-1	324
2	*Weary Flower (C'rella)	105	8-1	322
3	La Perla (Arcaro)	115	9-1	321
5	*Highminded (No Boy)	108	10-1	323
6	Bachelor's Bower (D'ndo)	115	12-1	319
9	Hap Mac (Roberts)	108	20-1	315

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

Hialeah Park Race Charts

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MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 1940.
WEATHER, CLEAR; TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs. Purse, $800. For 2-year-old maidens; claiming. Start good. Won ridden out; place driving. Went to post at 2:04½. Off at 2:06½. Winner, MacThorn Farm's ch. c. (2), by Happy Time—Miss White. Trained by C. P. Winfrey. Value to winner, $600; second, $125; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 0:33⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	Start	Stretch	Finish	Straight
WHITE TIME	(Hardy)	116	2	4	1½	1¹	$22.80
BETTIE NUX	(Arcaro)	113	1	1	2½	2ns	4.55
MAE DIXIE	(Roberts)	109	11	2	3¹½	3½	3.25
SEA CHANTY	(Robertson)	112	8	7	4½	4³	15.90
BLACK ONE	(McCombs)	113	6	5	5¹	5¹	2.20
INTERRUPT	(Duppe)	109	3	3	6¹	6¹	93.35
CHEVEL DE FER	(Wells)	107	4	11	7³	7³	57.35
MYONE	(I.Hanford)	111	5	10	9½	8½	8.85
HI WINNIE	(Meade)	115	9	6	8½	9³	19.65
OVERFLOWING	(Ryan)	109	7	9	10h	10³	40.95
BLONDE WITCH	(Young)	110	11	8	11	11	28.75

Two-dollar mutuels paid—WHITE TIME, $47.60, $19.80, $9.40; BETTIE NUX, $6.10, $4.80; MAE DIXIE, $4.40.

WHITE TIME, away forwardly, went in close attendance of BETTIE NUX in the early stages, responded gamely to pressure and drew clear at the end. BETTIE NUX displayed good speed, but raced greenly when placed to a drive, yet held on well to outlast MAE DIXIE. The latter bore in after the start and Roberts was unable to do her justice. SEA CHANTY raced evenly.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000. For 3-year-old fillies; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 2:35. Off at 2:35½. Winner, F. J. Kearn's b. f. (3), by Hadagal—Dandy One. Trained by F. J. Kearn. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:12⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
DANDY GAL	(Caffarella)	111	2	5	6¹	6¹	4½	1ⁿ	$6.40
ANTI AIR	(Winn)	111	3	4	5ʰ	3ʰ	3ʰ	2ns	11.70
HUTOKA	(Packer)	111	1	1	1ʰ	1ʰ	1ʰ	3ns	48.40
BUSY FINGERS	(F.A.Smith)	116	7	2	2½	2¹½	2½	4ʰ	7.90
MISS B. B.	(Flinchum)	113	11	6	4ʰ	5ʰ	5ʰ	5ʰ	7.85
SURE CURE	(Wells)	117	4	11	10ʰ	7ʰ	7½	6³	11.90
SASSY MATE	(Moore)	116	10	3	3¹½	4¹	6¹	7ʰ	3.70
TETRATOWN	(Robart)	116	5	8	9ʰ	8ʰ	8ʰ	8ʰ	101.35
THE KNIFE	(Anderson)	116	9	10	11	11	11	9ʰ	53.50
COUNTESS DOPY	(Seabo)	116	6	7	7ʰ	10ʰ	10h	10½	85.90
NOODLES	(Harrell)	113	8	9	8ʰ	9¹	9¹	11	2.05

Two-dollar mutuels paid—DANDY GAL, $14.80, $7.80, $5.40; ANTI AIR, $13.40, $10.50; HUTOKA, $20.70.

DANDY GAL, outrun in the opening half mile, weaved her way through between the leaders after straightening out into the stretch and wore the leaders down in the last strides. ANTI AIR gained steadily while slipping through on the inside and outgamed HUTOKA. The latter opened up a big lead in the early stages, but then weakened steadily in the final furlong. BUSY FINGERS also faltered in the stretch run.

Daily Double, WHITE TIME and DANDY GAL, Paid $568.20.

THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs. Purse, $1,000. For 3-year-old maidens; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:05. Off at 3:07. Winner, Mrs. F. J. Heller's b. g. (3), by Sickle—Ginga. Trained by E. J. Reed. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:27⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PETESAR	(Mastrianni)	118	2	8	8ʰ	6½	5ʰ	4¹	1¹	$19.45
TURBIE	(Donoso)	113	5	1	2ʰ	3ʰ	4ʰ	2½	2½	12.00
DOGHOUSE	(Arcaro)	113	11	7	7¹	5ʰ	6¹	5½	3ʰ	80
SPANISH BALL	(Flinchum)	113	6	4	4ʰ	2¹	2¹	3¹	4¹½	21.05
SIR TRAPSETH	(Johnston)	113	7	9	10½	10ʰ	10½	8½	5ʰ	84.40
PORT O'CALL	(Caffarella)	113	1	11	9¹	11	11	11	6¹	9.40
ARIEL CAPE	(Robertson)	118	4	5	5ʰ	4¹	3¹	6ʰ	7ʰ	8.75
PATRAS	(Duppa)	118	3	6	7ʰ	7½	7½	7½	8²	25.00
YELLOW ROSE	(Packer)	108	9	3	3ʰ	9¹	9¹	9¹	9ʰ	7.35
SHAG	(J.Renich)	112	10	10	11	8¹	8¹	10ʰ	10ʰ	46.55
J. EDGAR H.	(Anderson)	118	8	3	1¹	1½	1²	1ʰ	11	189.15

Two-dollar mutuels paid—PETESAR, $41.50, $21.30, $8.80; TURBIE, $10.80, $5.20; DOGHOUSE, $2.80.

PETESAR worked his way up gradually while stealing through on the inside and closing with determination through the stretch, won going away. TURBIE, a forward contender all the way, took a brief lead through the stretch, but then faltered in the final drive. DOGHOUSE, ridden extremely wide all the way, finished with a belated rush. SPANISH BALL finished in tight quarters.

FOURTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1,100. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Won cleverly; place driving. Went to post at 3:34. Off at 3:34. Winner, W. J. Susini's dk. br. g. (5), by Nutcracker—Sunny Days. Trained by G. L. Hamilton. Value to winner, $775; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:17⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
THE THRUSH	(Wright)	118	7	1	3ʰ	3ʰ	2¹	1ʰ	$11.55
REMINISCENT	(Arcaro)	113	3	5	4¹	4¹	4ʰ	2¹½	3.45
REPELLER	(Meade)	113	6	7	5¹	6¹	3¹	3¹½	3.90
PADDY	(Packer)	116	1	3	1¹	1¹	1ʰ	4³	1.75
MODERN AGE	(Bateman)	104	2	6	6ʰ	5ʰ	6ʰ	5³	20.25
COURT COUNSEL	(I.Hanford)	113	4	2	2ʰ	2¹	5ʰ	6ʰ	6.65
BOY PLUNGER	(F.A.Smith)	105	5	4	7	7	7	7	13.85

Two-dollar mutuels paid—THE THRUSH, $25.10, $8.70, $5.00; REMINISCENT, $5.20, $3.50; REPELLER, $3.70.

THE THRUSH, well placed in the early stages, came around the leaders in the final quarter, took command and drew out under brisk pressure. REMINISCENT, slow to get going, responded gamely to punishment and closed steadily, but never threatened the winner. REPELLER saved much ground turning into the stretch and shook off PADDY. THE latter stopped badly in the last furlong.

FIFTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1,100. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 4:02½. Off at 4:03. Winner, Le Mar Stock Farm's b. c. (4), by Misstep—Sunny Spain. Trained by M. Shapoff. Value to winner, $775; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:18⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
MUTINOUS	(Robertson)	113	8	5	1¹	1¹	1¹	1ns	$8.00
WINNING CHANCE	(May)	119	3	1	4½	3½	2²	2¾	3.85
CENSOR	(Robart)	113	5	4	5½	4½	4³	3³	7.20
MOONFOLLY	(Johnson)	110	4	3	3¹	2¹	3¹	4³	5.75
MODEST QUEEN	(Packer)	107	7	2	3¹	2½	3ʰ	5¹	16.90
LADY FLASH	(Flinchum)	103	6	2	2ʰ	5¹	6ʰ	6¹	2.95
SCARER	(Roberts)	105	2	8	8	8	8	7³	40.45
NEON LIGHT	(Wilson)	113	1	7	7ʰ	8½	7½	8	8.95

Two-dollar mutuels paid—MUTINOUS, $14.00, $6.00, $3.80; WINNING CHANCE, $4.50, $3.20; CENSOR, $5.00.

MUTINOUS, displaying the most speed, drew clear in the first quarter mile, saved ground thereafter and held on tenaciously in the final drive. WINNING CHANCE, going forwardly the entire trip, closed with good courage, but could not overhaul the winner. CENSOR, forced to race wide all the way, was going strongly at the finish. MOONFOLLY had no excuses.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,200. For 3-year-olds; allowance. Start good. Won handily; place driving. Went to post at 4:32. Off at 4:32½. Winner, F. J. Buchanon's br. g. (2), by Zacaweista—Spooky. Trained by A. G. Robertson. Value to winner, $860; second, $200; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:11⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
CHARLIENFELD	(Anderson)	122	1	3	1¹½	1¹	1¹	1¹½	$3.35
BETTY'S BOBBY	(F.A.Smith)	114	2	2	3¹	3²	2²	2¹	4.80
DUSKY DUKE	(Rosen)	114	3	5	5ʰ	5ʰ	3¹½	3³	18.65
THE LOOM	(Seabo)	108	4	6	6	6	6	4¹	47.20
DARBY DALLAS	(Meade)	113	3	4	4¹	4ns	5²	5ʰ	14.40
CUCKOO-MAN	(Charlton)	110	6	1	2ʰ	2¹	4ʰ	6	11.05

Two-dollar mutuels paid—CHARLIENFELD, $2.70, $2.30, $2.20; BETTY'S BOBBY, $2.80, $2.50; DUSKY DUKE, $3.20.

CHARLIENFELD set a swift pace while being rated in front and always held sway, winning lightly urged. BETTY'S BOBBY, hard ridden from the start, improved his position on the outside and easily shook off the others after entering the stretch. DUSKY DUKE secured clear passage and had no excuses. THE LOOM finished with a belated rush.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $1,000. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 5:02. Off at 5:02½. Winner, Emdale Stable's b. c. (4), by Don Leon—Betty B. Trained by W. O. Hicks. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:51⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
DON PECOS	(Flinchum)	103	3	3	2¹	2½	1ʰ	1ʰ	1ns	$11.40
SUN MICA	(Rosen)	117	7	2	1½	1¹	2ʰ	2ʰ	2²	6.05
REDBREAST	(Arcaro)	115	4	5	7¹½	6¹½	4ʰ	3¹½	3³	1.45
CAMISADO	(Johnson)	111	2	1	4ʰ	7ʰ	7ʰ	4ʰ	4¹	16.85
COMBAHEE	(Packer)	110	1	7	6¹	4¹	3ʰ	4½	5¹½	8.20
WAGE EARNER	(Winn)	115	5	6	3ʰ	3ʰ	4ʰ	5¹	6ʰ	3.20
DIXIE GIRL	(Wells)	100	6	8	5¹	5¹	5¹	6¹	7ʰ	17.70
OUR BUD	(Craig)	113	8	4	8	8	8	8	8	27.40

Two-dollar mutuels paid—DON PECOS, $24.80, $10.20, $5.10; SUN MICA, $7.10, $3.80; REDBREAST, $3.30.

DON PECOOS, going in improved form, forced a steady pace from the start and outgamed SUN MICA when the final test came. SUN MICA, rushed to the front, showed good speed while saving ground, but could not stave off the winner's bid. REDBREAST stole through on the inside entering the stretch and finished stoutly. CAMISADO came with a belated rush.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-half miles. Purse, $1,000. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 5:41½. Off at 5:41½. Winner, Mrs. H. O. Simmons' b. m. (6), by Apprehension—Vanity. Trained by H. O. Simmons. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 2:32⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
OLD MAID	(Flinchum)	107	11	1	4¹	2¹	2²	2¹	1ns	$2.25
TOP NOTCHER	(Caffarella)	104	2	5	3ʰ	3ʰ	3ʰ	2¹½	2¹	6.25
BLANCO SWEEP	(Wells)	106	10	11	10	10	6¹	4¹	3¹½	6.50
DES GRIEUX	(Bateman)	106	5	9	7¹½	4½	1ʰ	1ʰ	4³	9.60
SURE TOUCH	(Martin)	111	1	3	1½	1ʰ	4ʰ	5²	5½	29.85
SURE SWIFT	(Packer)	117	9	8	5¹	5²	5²	6¹	6⁴	3.25
SAM ALEXANDER	(Young)	114	4	10	9¹½	7¹	7¹	7ʰ	7ʰ	49.45
GUITAR	(McCreary)	98	6	2	2¹	6¹½	8ʰ	8ʰ	8ʰ	14.05
FEEDBRUSH	(Johnson)	109	7	7	8¹	8²	9¹²	9²⁰	9²⁰	30.30
COLOR SALUTE	(Wholey)	111	8	4	8¹½	10	10	10	10	64.15
GOLD CROSS	(Winn)	109	3	6	†					23.80

†Lost rider.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—OLD MAID, $6.50, $4.40, $3.50; TOP NOTCHER, $6.10, $4.50; BLANCO SWEEP, $4.90.

OLD MAID, slipping through on the inside in the run down the backstretch, finished gamely to punishment and outlasted TOP NOTCHER. The latter bettered his position on the outside in the final furlongs and just failed to overtake the winner. BLANCO SWEEP came through on the inside entering the stretch, but run into tight quarters. DES GRIEUX quit in the last furlong.

Les Conklin's Race Selections

HIALEAH PARK

1—Not Yet, Lochlea, Zacatine.
2—My First, No Ending, Dreel.
3—Nightland, Multitude, Haste On.
4—Stormscud, Mar Le, High One.
5—Lady Maryland, Be Blue, Unerring.
6—Early Settler, Balloter, Piccolo.
7—Burning Stick, Panjab, Mumble.
8—Palamede, La Perla, Conrad Mann.
Best—Stormscud.

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Waugh Pop, Lazarus, Greedan.
2—Harvest Moon, Dr. Sticks, Apollyon.
3—Rickey Roo, Phalamo, Chauvenet.
4—Trickwick, Vote Boy, Fore.
5—Barograph, Jane Pala, Travis L.
6—Matchup, Rye Beach, Double Back.
7—Alrose, Helen Mac, Frank Brooke.
8—Celestine, Hit and Run, Breezing Along.
Best—Matchup.

SANTA ANITA

1—Scots Pride, Present Arms, Iron Smith.
2—Stireky, Helen Too, Bronzed Angel.
3—Chief Nadi, Essajytee, Black Highbrow.
4—Edelad, Seabread, Fast Flight.
5—Brother Higher, Bonnie Breeze, Royal Jester.
6—Sun Phares, Kahanee, Erin Pan.
7—Teddy Patie, Tripiane, Dip.
8—Dust to Dust, Broad Wink, Kandahar.
9—Bartolozzi, War Moon, Aces Wild.
Best—Brother Higher.

The Post Consensus at Hialeah Park

(Compiled from the selections of the Nation's lea ding handicappers)

Late Consensus (Revised)

First race	Second race	Third race	Fourth race	Fifth race	Sixth race	Seventh race	Eighth race
Unerring (26)	Balloter (26)	Corsica (10)	Play Gold (18)	Lochlea (15)	Jock's Betsy (15)	Bright Blue (12)	Stormscud (23)
Lady M'land (15)	Piccolo (14)	Burn. Stick (10)	La Perla (11)	Not Yet (10)	My First (13)	Multitude (11)	Mar Le (14)
Flying Lill (8)	Early Settler (8)	Mumble (9)	Con. Mann (11)	Easy Blend (9)	Dreel (7)	Toy Foot (6)	High One (5)

Bennings (Washington Post)

Lochlea	Dreel	Night Land	S. Captain	L. Maryland	Balloter	Panjab	Con. Mann (18)
Ment. Giant	No Ending	Multitude	Gleeman	Flaming	Piccolo	Welding	Play Gold
Not Yet	Jock's Betsy	S. Biscuit	Equilibrium	Inscolda	Solarium	Ken's Pop	W. Flower

Best bet—Sea Captain.

Louisville Times (Associated Press)

Lochlea	Jelwell	Haste On	Equilibrium	Woolford ent.	Balloter	Panjab	Double R.
Easy Blend	Dreel	Multitude	Sea Captain	Flying Lill	Piccolo	Gold. Cargo	Conrad Mann
Blush. Bride	Morning Mail	Inscolad	High One	Dolly Val	Solarium	Alsura	La Perla

Best bet—Woolford Entry.

Bill Bennings

——At the Post

Selections at Hialeah Park

Dear Al:

The Puett Gate people are building another gate in Baltimore which will take care of the major track racing in Maryland in the spring. The gate now in Florida may be left there for the sessions next year. In addition, a gate is being built with 8 instead of 12 stalls. This will be used on the Maryland half-milers. Many of the veteran jockeys are opposed to the Puett gate. The starting device nullifies any jump at the gate that they have been able to make due to long experience. However, it looks like the Puett gate or a somewhat similar gate is here to stay. In addition to getting the field away quicker, it takes the horses out of the hands of the assistant starters and does away with a lot of punishment that the horses once had to absorb. If you don't believe it makes a difference, check the record book of Frank Brooke, the plater. Frank Brooke used to wear himself out in the old stalls and seldom visited the winner's circle. From the Puett gate he was consistent last fall. Now he is at the Fair Grounds, where the old-style stalls are used and he's acting up again. The Florida stewards seem to be doing a lot of disqualifying and from all appearances it has been justified. Maryland certainly could use some stricter officiating. For most of the season last year, it seemed to be "anything goes." When the laurels are being passed out to sires of 1939 winners, don't overlook the stallion, Gino. We hear little about this one, but he has been turning out a high percentage of winners. Somebody asks the whereabouts of the horse Peanuts. Well, he's in retirement and keeping company with old Exterminator. The pair of them, standing side by side, look like Mutt and Jeff. Peanuts is the sire of Top Row, winner of a $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap. Top Row, incidently, was named for "Peanut Gallery." Get it? For today, Confucius say: "No Ending may prove happy ending. BILL.

First race—Lochlea is as good as anything in this brief sprint for juveniles. Has shown speed in trials and will do a lot of running. **Mental Giant** has had some education and will be a factor. **Not Yet** may be ready to make a money appearance.

Second race—Dreel earns his way in company of this caliber. Must have his running shoes on, however. **No Ending** and **Jock's Betsy** are in good form and promise to give the top one a keen battle.

Third race—Night Land appears to have a slight edge on this company. This one has exhibited speed on occasions and will be in the thick of contention. I believe he can take it all. **Multitude** appears well placed and is dangerous. **Ship Biscuit** to take care of the others.

Fourth race—Sea Captain likes the route and is as fit as hands make horses. I look for him to take the top at once and stay there. **Gleeman** and **Equilibrium** seem capable of holding the others safe.

Fifth race—Lady Maryland may be ready to crack down on this company. She has been brought around gradually and seems headed for the big money today. **Unerring** is good now and belongs with these. **Inscoelda** for the minor award.

Sixth race—Balloter gets my call in this field. This one runs honest racing and will have the benefit of intelligent handling. **Piccolo** has class and is racing back into good condition. **Solarium** for the third money.

Seventh race—Panjab prefers this distance and will be primed for a hard race. I'm going to string along. **Welding** should go well. **Ken's Pop** is in good shape and worthy of consideration in this field.

Eighth race—Conrad Mann may add another purse to his growing list in the day's finale. **Play Gold** is as good as recent efforts suggest. **Weary Flower** could awake with a bang.

Best bet—Sea Captain.

All-Star Cast Set For Skate Events

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 29 (AP).—Headed by National Titleholder Leo Freisinger, an all-star cast of aspirants converges here Friday to compete in speed skating's blue ribbon event—the North American outdoor championships.

Freisinger, a Chicagoan, who completely spread-eagled the field in the national meet, concluded Sunday at La Crosse, Wis., ranks as the man to beat.

He faces strong opposition, defending North American Champion Charles Leighton, of Minneapolis; Eddie Schroeder, Al Kucera and Robert Hackenback, all of Chicago; Del Lamb, Milwaukee, and George Schmiek, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Although comparatively untested on a national scale, Fort Johnson's Ted Ellenwood, winner of five Eastern titles this season, emerges as the East's greatest threat to the Midwestern stars.

100 Stalls Up in Flames at Charles Town Track

Several hundred horses being wintered at Charles Town Race Track in Charles Town, W. Va., were endangered when fire destroyed one unit of the stables of the Charles Town Jockey Club late Sunday. One horse was lost along with feed and equipment, and the other animals were hastily removed to safety. A carelessly tossed cigarette was unofficially thought to be the cause of the fire. The burned stalls were about 100 feet from the grandstand

Fair Grounds

Entries

By the Associated Press

FIRST RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

5	*Greedan	103	2	*Waugh Pop	108
6	*Shining Sun	110	3	*Maisco	107
7	*Lazarus	110	4	*Wacky Jack	112
1	*Haselnut	100			

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

10	*Matchless	104	1	*Typical	104
11	*Imp'ial Imp	109	2	*Apollyon	109
12	*H'vest Moon	104	3	*Co Mike	109
13	*Lou Hans	109	4	Can Help	114
14	*Hodgie	109	5	*Wale Signal	104
15	Easter Pal	109	6	*Indisputable	104
16	*Ink Spot	104	7	Dr. Sticks	114
17	*My Last D'lar	109	8	*Love Quest	104
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3 of Largest Wall Street Firms Merge

E. A. Pierce & Co., Merrill Lynch & Co., And Cassatt & Co.

By the Associated Press

New York, Jan. 29.—A merger of two Wall Street investment houses with E. A. Pierce & Co., was announced today. The firms are Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc., prominent in chain store financing, and Cassatt & Co., a 65-year-old brokerage house which originated in Philadelphia. The two have been connected for several years.

E. A. Pierce & Co. is one of the largest commission firms in the country, with branch offices in nearly 40 cities. The new combination was designed to make one of the leading brokerage and underwriting organizations in the financial district.

Under the arrangement, effective March 30, Charles E. Merrill, now a special partner in E. A. Pierce & Co., will become a senior partner along wiht E. A. Pierce.

New Firms Name

The new firm will be known as Merrill Lynch, E. A. Pierce & Cassatt. It will have 42 offices, mostly branches now conducted by the Pierce wire system throughout the country. Cassatt has operated branches in Pittsburgh and Altoona, Pa.

Cities covered by the Pierce offices include Akron, Boston, Buffalo, Chicago, Denver, Detroit, Houston, Los Angeles, Milwaukee, New Orleans, Minneapolis, Philadelphia, Portland, Oreg., San Francisco, Washington, Seattle and San Antonio.

The Pierce organization has membership in the New York Stock Exchange and other leading security and commodity exchanges of the country. The other two firms do not have stock exchange memberships.

Mergers Continue

The consolidation was seen in stock exchange circles as another step in the merging of brokerage and investment houses to handle the reduced volume of Wall Street business.

Despite general industrial revival last year, stock exchange dealings in shares were the smallest in many years. So far this year, the turnover has been smaller than it was in the comparable 1939 period.

Cassatt & Co. formerly was headed by Robert Cassatt, son of Alexander Cassatt, one-time president of the Pennsylvania Railroad. T. Johnson Ward now is president of the Cassatt organization.

Thomas W. Brahany, manager of the Washington office of E. A. Pierce & Co., said yesterday that Joseph H. Hines, of this city, for the past 15 years a member of the firm of E. A. Pierce & Co., will continue as partner in the new concern.

Mr. Brahany added that so far as he knew there will be no changes in the present personnel of the local office which is located in the Transportation Building at Seventeenth and H streets northwest.

Mutual Savings Deposits Increase

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—The average deposit in a mutual savings bank increased last year by $3.70 to a total of $678.43, the National Association of Mutual Savings Banks reported today. The mutuals, holding more than one-fifth of American bank deposits and operating in 17 States, reported 15,448,468 accounts totaling $10,480,684,326 on December 30, a gain for the year of 291,913 accounts and $245,252,874.

The association commented: "Since the average mutual savings account usually represents the welfare of at least two persons, these figures tend to show that almost one-fourth of the Nation has a ready, liquid capital in mutual institutions."

Local Securities

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Real Estate Mortgage & Guaranty preferred. 40 at 5¾.		
After Call		
Potomac Electric 5½% preferred. 20 at 115⅝.		
Washington Gas Light preferred. 15 at 109. 15 at 109, 10 at 109.		
Capital Transit Co., 20 at 14⅛.		
Bonds		
Public Utilities		
Anacostia & Pot 5s	96½	100
Ana & Pot Guar 5s	110½	.....
Cap Traction 1st 5s	97½	99
City & Suburban 5s	97	100
Georgetown Gas 1st 5s	118	.....
Pot Elec Pow 3¼s	108	.....
Washington Gas 5s, 1960	125	.....
Wash Rwy & Elec 4s	107½	.....
Miscellaneous		
Chevy Chase Club 1st 4¼s.	104	.....
Col Country Club 1st 4½s.	103	.....
Ter Ref & Wh Corp 1st 4½s	100	.....
Stocks		
Public Utilities		
Amer Tel & Tel (9)	170½	.....
Capital Transit Co (50t)	14¾	16
N & W Steamboat (4)	58	70
Pot Elec Pow 6% pfd (6)	116	.....
Pot El P 5¼% pfd (5.50)	114½	.....
Wash Gas Lt com (1.50)	*28¼	29
Wash Gas Lt pfd (4.50)	108½	.....
Wash Ry & El com (g36)	780	.....
Wash Ry & El pfd (5)	116	.....
National Banks		
Capital (y4)	150	175
Liberty (6)	166	180
Lincoln (y5)	200	.....
Riggs (e8)	268	285
Riggs pfd (5)	*100	.....
Washington (6)	121	.....
Trust Companies		
Amer Sec & Tr Co (e8)	248	265
Natl Sav & Tr (4.00)	*185	.....
Pr Georges Bk & Tr (.60)	18½	22
Wash Loan & Tr (e8)	*235	250
Savings Banks		
Bank of Bethesda (75)	30	.....
Com & Savings (y10.00)	270	.....
Fire Insurance		
American (†6)	*115	.....
Firemen's (1.40)	27	.....
National Union (.75)	15	18
Title Insurance		
Columbia (K30)	12¾	.....
Real Estate (m6)	165½	.....
Miscellaneous		
Carpet Corp (2.00)	28	31
Lanston Monotype (2.00)	32	36
Lincoln Serv com (†1.00)	19½	21½
Lincoln S 7% pr pfd (3.50)	46	52
Mergenthaler Lino (p.50)	14	16
Natl Mtge & Inv pfd (d.35)	3¾	4¼
Peoples Drug S com (†1.00)	33	.....
Real Est M & G pfd (.50)	8½	9¼
Security Storage (3)	85	100
Ter Ref & Wh Corp (3)	58	65
Wdwd & Loth com (g2.00)	48	55
Wdwd & Loth pfd (7)	118	.....

*Ex dividend. †Plus extras. (d) 35 cents paid in 1939. (e) 2% extra. (f) 3% extra. (g) 1¼ extra paid December 23, 1939. (K) 20 cents extra. (m) $1.50 extra. (p) 50 cents paid September 30, 1938. (s) $2 paid in 1939. (y) $5 extra. (t) 50 cents paid December 20, 1939. (v) $1 extra paid January, 1940.

Boston Wool Market

Boston, Jan. 29 (AP) (U. S. Dept. Agr.).—The wool market in Boston was very quiet today. Quotations were steady to firm on South African and South American wools. Asking prices were about steady on domestic wools. Not enough interest has been shown in domestic wools thus far this week to establish prices.

Steel Operations Continue Lower

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—The Nation's steel mills this week will reduce operations to 77.3 per cent of capacity, the lowest since September 11 last, the American Iron and Steel Institute announced today. Last week mills operated at 82.2 per cent of capacity, a month ago at 85.7 per cent, and a year ago at 52.8 per cent. Steel circles said the reduction was a continuation of slowing of operations brought about by the fact that production in recent weeks had been outstripping new orders. The high for 1939-40, at 94.4 per cent, was reached November 27 last.

Cotton Drops 65 Cents to 85 Cents Per Bale

By the Associated Press

New York, Jan. 29.—Liverpool and Bombay cracked down on the cotton futures market again today. Rallying efforts were half-hearted and the list closed near the bottom, down 13 to 17 points.

Sharp declines in the foreign market presaged selling from those sources in the local ring. The premium on New York March and May contracts over April-May cotton in Bombay was extended to more than $3 a bale. English premiums over New York narrowed sharply.

Brokers were almost unanimous in blaming the threatened excess profits in India for the easiness in foreign markets. Reports from Washington that opposition to farm parity payments was gaining momentum also checked support.

Futures Price Range

New—	Open	High	Low	Close	
July	10.25	10.25	10.25	10.16*	—14
October	9.40	9.46	9.34	9.35	—13
December	9.35	9.39	9.28	9.27*	—15
1941—					
January	9.32	9.32	9.32	9.23*	—13
Old—					
March	10.70	10.73	10.60	10.61	—16
May	10.40	10.43	10.30	10.30	—17
July	10.05	10.08	9.96	9.96	—17

*Bid.

Spot, nominal; middling (11 inch), 10.95.

Cottonseed Oil

Cottonseed oil futures jogged over a narrow price trail today, coming to rest unchanged to 2 points lower. Influence of a steady hog market inspired support in new crop months, but this was outweighed by offerings attracted by declines in grain and lard. Sales totaled 98 contracts: March, 6.75*; May, 6.88*; July, 6.99*; September, 7.06*. Crude oil was priced nominally at 5⅛ cents a pound in the Southeast and Valley and 5¾ in Texas.

*Bid.

Pontiac Auto Sales Set New Records

Detroit, Jan. 29.—Retail deliveries of Pontiac cars in the United States for the second ten days of January were 5,205, which is a record for that period, according to D. U. Bathrick, general sales manager. This is an increase of 56.5 per cent over the same period of 1939, when 3,325 cars were delivered.

Used car sales also set a new January second ten-day record with 10,521 units for the period, compared with 8,011 for the same period last year.

Business Failures

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., reported today 302 business failures in the United States in the week ended January 25. The figure compared with 288 failures in the previous week and 385 in the like 1939 week.

Money Markets

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—In a fresh demonstration of strength, the British pound sterling advanced 1 cent in relation to the dollar to $3.99⅞ today. The pound has been slowly working forward for weeks as England tightened control of her money machinery to cope with war shocks. The Canadian dollar countered the general improvement in European monies with a drop of around ⅛ cent. The French franc advanced .00½ of a cent, and belga .06 of a cent. The Swiss franc was unchanged, and the guilder a trifle lower.

Closing rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents):

Canada—Official Canadian control board buying rate for U. S. dollars 110.00; selling rate, 111.00.

Great Britain, demand, 3.99; cables, 3.99⅛; 60-day bills, 3.97⅝; 90-day bills, 3.95⅞.

Demand Rates

Montreal in New York	87.62½	*Portugal	3.70
Montreal	114.12½	*Rumania	.65
New York in		Sweden	23.83
Belgium	16.98	Switzerland	22.43
Denmark	19.33	*Yugoslavia	2.35
*Finland	1.85	Argentina—	
France	2.26¾	Official	29.77
*Germany	40.25	Free	22.90
Benevolent	17.00	Brazil—	
Greece	.73¾	Official	6.05
*Hungary	17.60	Free	5.10
Italy	5.05	*Mexico	16.75
Netherlands	53.09	Japan	23.49
Norway	22.73	Hongkong	24.91
*Nominal.		Shanghai	7.90

New York

Call money steady, 1 per cent; prime commercial paper, ⅝ per cent; time loans steady; 60-90 days, 1¼; 4-6 months, 1⅛ per cent; bankers' acceptances unchanged; 60-90 days, ½-⅝ per cent; 4 months, ⅝-½ per cent; 5-6 months, ⅝-¾ per cent. Rediscount rate, N. Y. Reserve Bank, 1 per cent.

Bar silver, 34¾, unchanged.

London

Bar silver, 21 11d, off ⅛. (Equivalent, 39.56 cents on the dollar basis $4.03.)

Bar gold, 168s, unchanged (Equivalent, $33.85.)

Money, 1 per cent. Discount rates: Short and 3-month bills, 1⅛ per cent.

Paris

The United States dollar rate was unchanged at 43.80 francs (2.283 cents to the franc) in foreign exchange dealings today, compared with the franc at 2.262 cents in New York over the week-end. Exchange on London, 176.625. Three per cent rentes in the bourse were 74.30 francs; 4½s "A," 83.45; 4½s 1937, 211.75.

Operating Net Of Pepco 26% Over Year Ago

December Revenues Are 5.51 Per Cent Above 1938 Month

The December report of the Potomac Electric Power Co. filed yesterday with the Public Utilities Commission shows that December operating revenues were $1,385,738.32, an increase of $72,364.42, or 5.51 per cent.

Operating revenue deductions for expenses called for $904,575.21, a decrease of $28,008.64, or 3 per cent, leaving net operating revenues of $481,163.11, which was an increase over December, 1938, of $100,373.06, or better than 26 per cent.

Other than operating income brought gross up to $103,278.45 more than a year ago, for a gain of 27.30 per cent. Income deductions to meet interest payments and other requirements called for $101,963.38.

As already announced, net income of the Potomac Electric Power Co. for the full year 1939 totaled $4,230,271.33, up $42,361.78.

Washington Gaslight Co.

The monthly report of the Washington Gas Light Co., filed yesterday with the Public Utilities Commission, shows operating revenues of $885.571 for December this year, compared with $840,026 for December, 1938, an increase of $45,545 as a result of the larger volume of gas sales. Operating expenses this December amounted to $643,927, an increase of $74,613, due principally to the production and handling of the larger volume of gas. Nonoperating revenues this month amounted to $1,443. Interest charges were $72,012, or $36,426 lower than last year because of the bond refinancing affected in November, 1938.

The net result of the month's operation was a net income of $180,075, compared with $187,121 for December a year ago. For the 12 months of 1939, the company's net income amounted to $1,154,923, an increase of $168,463 over the year 1938.

The company reports gas sales of 1,345,086 thousand cubic feet for the month of December, an increase of 93,709 thousand cubic feet over December, 1938. There were 158,295 meters in service on December 31, 1939, a gain of 4,246 over the same date last year. The report also shows that expenditures to care for service requirements of customers are continuing at a substantial rate. The company expended approximately $124,300 in December for improvements and additions to its property and spent over $1,113,000 for that purpose during the year 1939.

D. C. Building and Loan League

F. Willson Camp, secretary of the District of Columbia Building and Loan League announced yesterday that the January meeting of the entire membership will be held at a luncheon meeting, at the Raleigh Hotel today at 12:30 p. m. William N. Payne, jr., president of the group will make recommendations as approved by the recent meeting of the executive council.

Retail Advertising Holds Above Year Ago

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Volume of retail advertising placed in newspapers continued to show slight gains over last year during the week ended January 20, according to a report released today by Advertising Age.

During the week newspapers in 80 major cities reported a total of 16,000,321 lines of retail display advertising, slightly less than 1 per cent above the 1939 figure for the comparable week of 15,859,932 lines.

For the year to date, 1940 volume is 0.8 per cent ahead of last year, Advertising Age says. Volume for 1940 is 48,371,886 lines, as against 47,993,894 lines in the same period of 1939.

Standard of Indiana Votes 25 Cents Dividend

Chicago, Jan. 29 (AP).—Directors of Standard Oil Co. of Indiana today declared the regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents a share on the capital stock, payable March 15 to stock of record February 15.

Pepperell, $3

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—Directors of Pepperell Manufacturing Co. today ordered a dividend of $3 a share on common stock, payable February 15 to holders of record February 5. Payments of $2 each were made in February and August last year. Company manufactures cloth at factories in Maine, Georgia, Alabama and Massachusetts.

American Ships Seek Foreign Registries

The Maritime Commission announced yesterday that it had received applications to transfer seven vessels to foreign flags and registries.

Lykes Brothers Steamship Co. asked permission to sell four steel cargo ships to a French line; Tampa Inter-ocean Steamship Co. wants to sell two steel cargo ships to the same French line; and three Miami, Fla., owners of the Tropical Trader II asked permission to transfer it to Panamanian registry. The Miami applicants were Eloise B. Knox, Nicholas Michels and N. R. Field.

Prospect for Aircrafts Called Best of All U. S. Industries

New York, Jan. 29.—No other important industry can now match Aviation's prospects, according to the Brookmire Economic Service today. In fact, it may well be asked: When the history of the nineteen-forties is written, will the period be noted as the Era of Aviation?

Already charged with the dynamic qualities typical of a youthful industry, Aviation is now supercharged with military potentialities—domestic and foreign. To obtain a clear picture of the scope of the Aviation industry, the Brookmire analyst observes that one should bear in mind that there are two main divisions: 1. manufacturing, 2. transportation.

Growth in the transportation division is likely to be more steady and consistent, but less spectacular, than in the manufacturing division. In 1939, the 42 per cent gain in domestic passenger traffic—itself impressive—was surpassed by the 75 per cent gain in manufacturing output.

Among the manufacturing subgroups, plane builders especially hold earnings potentialities that capture the imagination; but while they give promise of the greatest degree of probable gains, engine makers are featured by a number of factors which afford the highest certitude of sharing in the industry's progress.

Actually, the engine field is the bottle-neck of the industry. Hence Brookmire points out in conclusion that the major makers are in position to take orders on favorable terms, and their big task is to expand capacity fast enough to meet the urgent demand.

The Market

By C. Norman Stabler
A Special Correspondent.

Stock Trading Holds in Narrow Range; Business News Unfavorable for Day; Bond Market Dull But Firm

New York, Jan. 29.—Stocks held within their familiar narrow range today, losing an average of 0.06 point, which is comparatively nothing, and trading volume was equally insignificant, amounting to only 489,840 shares. In this day of minor backing and filling the public utilities managed to close with a slightly higher average and the better grade rails held their own. Otherwise the characteristic was one of fractional recessions. Few of the speculative favorites managed to close as much as a point away from Saturday's final prices. United States Rubber was the only one of the 15 most active stocks to score this much of a fluctuation. It closed off a point, as did Allied Chemical in the less active division.

The day was marked in the business field by another decline being recorded for the operating rate of the steel industry, by a stalemate in the European war and by no special development of importance in the field of politics. In jurisprudence, the concerns doing business in New York City were thrown for a loss by the decision of the Supreme Court holding that the city's 2 per cent sales tax, as applied to products brought here from outside the State, is constitutional. Added together the foregoing gave the bearish element the advantage for the day and certainly it did nothing to encourage any operations for the rise.

Commodities Lower

The record shows that there were none and the trend in commodities likewise continued downward. Bonds tended to follow stocks into lower territory and the United States Government list was soft. There was some firmness in sterling and in the franc on the basis of an outward movement of funds. The free rate for sterling was at a parity with the official rate for the first time in several weeks, if commissions and other expenses be taken into consideration.

First of the week statistical news was featured by the steel operating rate as reported by the American Iron and Steel Institute. This showed an acceleration of the downward trend which has been noticeable since the turn of the year. Operations are now at 77.3 per cent of capacity compared with 82.2 per cent the previous week a drop of 4.9 points or 6 per cent. At the peak of the recent movement, operations were as high as 94.4 per cent of capacity, made late in November. For the first time in several months, operations are now below the rate for the corresponding week of the previous year. In general, steel men are satisfied with the present demand. They have expected the present setback after the rush of orders which characterized the last quarter of 1939 and the turn of the year.

Loft Most Active

Fractional changes in most of the speculative leaders did not stop a few changes in special issues today. Loft was the most active stock and went to a new high. Leadership generally was lodged again with the so-called second grade issues. Sidney Blumenthal preferred jumped 6½ points, Great Western Sugar preferred 2½ points, and American Power & Light 6 per cent preferred 1½ points.

Phoenix Hosiery issues made new highs, the common with an advance of nearly a point, while the preferred jumped 5 points. International Business Machine moved forward 1½ and there was general support for the marine issues. Oils were unsteady, with Texas and Socony-Vacuum near their lows for the year.

Declines continued in the major commodities. Wheat went to the lowest since December 12, with selling based on moderating temperatures and bearish world wheat statistics. The close was off 2 to 2⅜ cents a bushel, with other grains tending to follow. Corn was down ¾ to ⅞ cent and rye 1⅜ to 2⅜ cents. Cotton broke 13 to 17 points following easiness abroad, the Liverpool quotations being off the maximum of 25 points.

Speculative Bonds Higher

Only small variations occurred today in another dull listed bond market session. Trading totaled $4,650,000, with the speculative section accounting for almost all of this modest amount. United States Treasury issues drifted lower, while best corporate bonds hardly varied. The speculative groups were irregular, and only in a few instances were the changes of any significance whatever. Foreign dollar obligations were similarly uncertain.

Long-term United States Treasury issues showed declines running to about ¼ point in the more active bonds, while others were down more modestly still. Contemplation of the vast refunding and new money operations faced by the Treasury tend to keep the dealings lower and the price trend easy. Guaranteed issues also were dull, owing to the impression that next new money operations may be in this field. Highly rated corporate loans were mixed, with the changes fractional and unimportant.

Rail Issues Firm

Railroad bonds in the speculative category were modestly better on the little inquiry that developed during the dull session. Among local tractions, B.-M. T. issues improved, Interborough bonds declined and Manhattan Railway issues were motionless. Holding company and share privilege bonds did rather well, but there were some exceptions. Amusement issues improved, while Communications bonds remained dull.

Finland bonds gained 3 points on victories by that country in the Russian war, while Scandinavian issues were irregular. Belligerent country bonds in the larger war were little changed. In the Latin-American default group only small changse were noted in either direction.

15 Most Active Stocks

Special Dispatch to The Post

New York, Jan. 29.—The 15 most active Stock Exchange issues today were:

	Volume.	Close.	Net Ch.
Loft Inc	29,700	23⅜	+ ¾
R K O	14,200	1⅜	+ ¼
Cont Motors	13,700	3⅛	— ⅛
Am Haw S S	9,300	12⅜	+ ⅜
Lockheed Aire	9,100	30½	— ¼
Studebaker	7,400	9⅛	+ ⅛
Curtiss-Wright	7,000	10¼	— ¼
United Corp	6,700	2¼	.....
Socony-Vacuum	5,600	11⅞	.....
U S Rubber	5,600	35	—1
U S Steel	5,300	57⅜	+ ⅛
Wilson & Co	5,300	5⅜	— ⅛
Intl Mer Mar	5,100	9⅛	+ ⅛
Bendix Aviat	4,900	30⅝	+ ⅛
United Air Line	4,900	15⅝	— ⅛

Republic Steel was tied with Bendix Aviation and United Air Line.

Volume, 15 stocks, 133,800 shares.

Ratio to total volume, 27.3 per cent.

A. B. A. Organ Foresees Basis For Sharp Rise

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—The magazine Banking, in its monthly survey of business made public today, saw a basis "for an extraordinary period of business activity," but added "business is still skeptical." "Banking" is the official publication of the American Bankers Association.

"With the greatest volume of bank money in history waiting for something to happen, and the greatest opportunities in history waiting for the money, we have the setting for an extraordinary period of business activity," the survey said.

"The war, deficits, taxes, politics, red tape and a frequently unfriendly bureaucracy are a few of the general headings under which we can find most of the reasons why business is still skeptical.

"On the reverse side of the picture there is the fact that we have enough capital to finance an era of great progress and prosperity; we have at hand technological advances exceeding anything in the country's previous record and a huge surplus of man power.

Security Averages

Stocks	50 Inds.	20 Rails.	20 Utils.	90 Stks.
Yesterday	117.5	30.6	70.2	96.6
Previous day	117.6	30.7	69.8	96.5
Week ago	117.5	30.3	69.7	96.4
Month ago	121.1	31.8	69.0	99.0
Year ago	115.3	28.6	65.6	93.8
Two years ago	103.4	28.7	54.6	83.7
High, 1939	131.7	37.7	74.5	106.4
Low, 1939	96.9	23.4	58.2	79.4
High, 1938	136.1	34.3	70.7	109.5
Low, 1938	83.6	20.1	45.2	67.5
	20	20	20	60
Bonds	**Inds.**	**Rails.**	**Utils.**	**Bnds.**
Yesterday	87.2	57.5	101.5	82.0
Previous day	87.2	57.5	101.4	82.0
Week ago	87.3	57.1	101.5	82.0
Month ago	86.7	58.6	101.8	82.4
Year ago	85.6	57.2	99.3	80.7
Two years ago	80.0	61.4	91.9	77.7
High, 1939	88.0	64.9	102.8	84.6
Low, 1939	83.2	51.9	97.0	78.0
High, 1938	87.3	70.0	99.7	83.0
Low, 1938	74.9	47.9	87.3	70.7

(1936 average equals 100.)

United States Treasury Position

By the Associated Press

The position of the Treasury January 26 compared with comparable date a year ago:

	January 26, 1940.	January 27, 1939.
Receipts	$10,409,482.96	$10,804,284.83
Expenditures	8,091,343.14	20,424,771.03
Net balance	2,306,724,287.97	2,939,997,821.96
Working balance included	1,595,913,754.35	2,295,772,374.89
Customs receipts for month	31,065,182.91	22,159,637.11
Receipts for fiscal year (July 1)	2,997,603,237.68	3,192,328,576.85
Expenditures	5,373,706,742.71	5,156,144,334.93
Excess of expenditures	2,376,103,405.06	1,963,815,758.08
Gross debt	42,101,032,794.44	39,613,978,431.29
Increase over previous day	5,987,004.73	.....
Gold assets	17,905,509,680.40	14,645,663,583.96

Minuse Gets 2 Years For Stock Rigging

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—Norman W. Minuse, convicted of conspiracy to violate the securities exchange act of 1934 by rigging the market in class "A" common stock of Tastyeast, Inc., was sentenced today to two years in Federal prison and fined $5,000. Joseph H. Pelletier, convicted with Minuse, was sentenced to 18 months and fined $1,000.

"Wash sales, matched orders and the rigging of the market must stop," said Federal Judge Matthew T. Abruzzo.

New York Bank Stocks

New York, Jan. 29 (AP) (Nat'l Association Securities Dealers, Inc.).

	Bid.	Asked.
Bank of Am NTS (SF) (2.40)	35	37
Bank of Man (.80a)	17¾	18¾
Bank of N Y (14)	420	438
Bankers Tr (2)	57	59
Brooklyn Tr (4)	79	84
Cen Han Bk & Tr (4)	104	107½
Chase Nat (1.40)	34¾	36¾
Chem Bk & Tr (1.80)	50¾	52¾
Commercial (8)	181	187
Cont Bk & Tr (.80)	14½	15¾
Corn Ex Bk & T (3)	54¾	56¾
Empire Tr (.60)	12¾	13¼
First Nat'l (Boston) (2)	46½	48½
First Nat'l (100)	1910	1950
Guaranty Tr (12)	297	302
Irving Tr (.60)	12½	13½
Manufacturers Tr (2)	39¼	41¼
Manufacturers Tr pf (2)	52	54
National City (1)	29	30½
New York Trust (5)	111	114
Public (1½)	32½	34¼
Title G & T	3¼	4¼

Short Term Securities

(Reported by Robert C. Jones & Co.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Amer Tel & Tel 5½s '43	108.16	108.23
Alleghany Corp Con 5s '44	77 ⅛	78
Baldwin Locomotive 5s '40	100.25	101.28
Baltimore & Ohio 4½s '39	54 ¼	55 ¼
Bangor & Aroos R R 5s '43	99 ½	100
Big Sandy Rwy 1st 4s '44	109	.....
Canadian Pacific 4½s '46	83 ½	84 ⅛
Clev & Pitts RR SA4½s'42	106 ⅜	107
Delaware & Hudson 4s '43	60 ⅛	60 ⅝
Illinois Steel 4½s '40	100.20	101.4
Laclede Gas Lt col tr6%B'42	41	43 ½
Lehigh Val Term ER5s'41	51 ¼	.....
Louisville & Nashville 4s '40	101.18	101.24
Penn Dixie Cement SA6s'41	95 ½	96
Pennsylvania R R 4s '43	108 ¾	109
Phila Balto & Wash 4s '43	109 ⅛	.....
Union Oil Calif 6s '42	112.10	115
Utah Lt & Tr 1st&R5s'44	101 ½	102 ⅜

Naval Stores

Savannah, Jan. 29 (AP).—Turpentine, firm; 33½; offerings, 4, all sold; receipts, 4; shipments, 407; stock, 20,014. Rosin firm; offerings, 116, all sold; receipts, 525; shipments, 2,996; stock, 203,324. Quote: B, 4.50; D, 4.75; E, 5.10; F, 5.20; G, 5.35; H, 5.40; I, K, 5.50; M, N, 5.55; WG, 5.65; WW, X, 6.20.

Steel Quotations

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—Steel prices per 100 pounds f. o. b. Pittsburgh: Hot rolled sheets, base price, 2.10; galvanized sheets, 3.50; steel bars, 2.15.

Wheat Drops To Low Since December 12

Weather and World Wheat Statistics Chief Factor in Decline

By the Associated Press

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Tumbling 2@2⅜ cents a bushel today, wheat prices reached the lowest level since December 12. Despite milling and baking activity stimulated by the slump, the market showed only feeble rallying power and closed at or near the day's lows, with May at 96⅞@97 and July at 94¼@⅜. Some large flour orders were reported to have been booked, principally in the Southwest.

Selling at the opening gong apparently was inspired by moderating weather, with snow melting into the soil over much of the winter wheat belt. Bearish world wheat statistics also unsettled the market and an added factor was continued uncertainty regarding outcome of the loan program under which large quantities of 1938 and 1939 wheat have been stored.

Other grains slumped with wheat. Corn closed ¾@⅞ down, May 56½, July 56 ⅜@½; oats ⅜@½ down; rye 1⅜@2⅜ off; soy beans 2@2¼ down and lard unchanged to 5 lower.

Visible Grain Supply

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—Visible supply of American grain showed the following changes from a week ago (in bushels): Wheat decreased 3,047,000; corn decreased 2,632,000; oats decreased 674,000; rye decreased 163,000; barley decreased 223,000.

Futures Price Range

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	98⅝	98⅝	96¾	97
July	95⅛	95⅛	94¼	94⅜
September	95⅝	95⅝	93½	93½
Corn—				
May	57¼	57⅜	56½	56½
July	57⅛	57⅛	56⅜	56⅛
September	57⅝	57⅝	57	57
Oats—				
May	39⅛	39⅛	38¾	38¾
July	34⅛	34⅛	34	34
September	32	32	32	32
Soybeans—				
May	1.07¼	1.07¼	1.06¼	1.06¼
July	1.04¾	1.04¾	1.03½	1.03¾
Rye—				
May	69½	69⅞	68½	68½
July	69¼	69½	67¾	67¾
September	68½	68½	68½	68¼
Lard—				
January	5.90	5.90	5.90	5.90
March	6.15	6.15	6.15	6.15
May	6.32	6.32	6.30	6.32
July	6.50	6.52	6.50	6.52
September	6.70	6.70	6.70	6.70

Cash Grain Prices

WHEAT—No. 2 red (weevily), 1.01¾; No. 4 hard, 97½.

CORN—No. 1 mixed, 64½@65; No. 3, 58½; No. 1 yellow, 58⅜@59½; No. 2, 58¼@59½; No. 3, 57¾@59¼; No. 4, 57¼@58.

OATS—No. 2 mixed, 41¾; sample grade mixed, 38½; No. 2 white, 43; No. 3, 41¾; No. 4, 40½@41; sample grade white, 39@40¼.

SOYBEANS—No. 1 mixed, 99; No. 2 yellow, 1.07¼.

BARLEY—Malting, 54@66 nominal; feed, 40@48 nominal; No. 3, 60@64; No. 4, 43½; No. 3 malting, 62@64.

RYE—Sample grade, 61½.

Field seeds, per 100 pounds, nominal:

TIMOTHY SEED—4.50@5.25.

SWEET CLOVES—4.50@5.25.

RED TOP—8.50@9.00.

RED CLOVER—12.50@15.00.

ALSIKE—15.00@18.00.

ALFALFA—18.00@23.00.

Business Loans Drop $14,000,000 in Week

By the Associated Press

The Federal Reserve Board said yesterday that commercial, industrial and agriculture loans to banks in 101 leading cities declined $14,000,000 to a total of $4,316,000,000 in the week ended January 24.

It was the second consecutive decline after a long period of increases, but the total in the 101 cities still was $551,000,000 more than a year ago. Principal decreases last week were $6,000,000 in New York and $4,000,000 in the St. Louis Federal Reserve District.

Lead Price Cut To 5¼ Cents a Pound

New York, Jan. 29 (AP).—American Smelting & Refining Co. today lowered the price of lead for immediate delivery at New York ¼ cent a pound, the first reduction since April 11 of last year. The new price is 5¼ cents a pound.

Lead on April 11 last year was selling at 4¾ cents, and in a series of six consecutive advances it had been hiked up to 5½ cents.

Foreign Markets

London, Jan. 29 (AP).—Gilt-edged securities were the leading attraction today of a firm stock market. The general run of closing prices were slightly higher than Friday, but off from their best. Domestic rails gained on fair demand. Oil leaders slipped. Tobacco shares were steady. Greek bonds gained, while Japanese loans declined.

Paris, Jan. 29 (AP).—French Bank shares declined, while rentes, domestic utilities and steels moved unevenly in a slow bourse today. Ottoman bank shares rose seven points among firm foreign issues.

Amsterdam, Jan. 29 (AP).—Domestic issues gained moderately today and American shares firmed after an irregular opening. Trading was moderate, hampered by the present international uncertainties.

Liverpool, Jan. 29 (AP).—Cotton prices declined 25 points, the one-day limit, today, due mainly to imposition of an excess profits tax in India and report of United States export subsidy funds shortage.

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Aluminum Co Plans to Spend $30,000,000

Special Dispatch to The Post

Pittsburgh, Jan. 29.—With work starting on the new metal-producing plant in Vancouver, Wash., Aluminum Co. of America is inaugurating a $30,000,000 expansion program which will materially increase the company's production facilities at a time when the demand for aluminum is at an all-time high.

In detailing the present $30,000,000 expansion program, Roy A. Hunt, president, recalled the recently completed $26,000,000 development which included new works in Mobile, Ala., Lafayette, Ind., and Los Angeles, Calif. In both cases, the company has anticipated the increasing market for aluminum.

The Vancouver (Wash.), metal-producing plant, with other additions and betterments in the bauxite, alumina and metal-producing divisions of the company, will account for approximately $18,000,000. Major improvements in these divisions, in addition to the Vancouver (Wash.), plant, include: a bauxite plant in Paranam, Surinam (Dutch Guiana), with a capacity of 450,000 tons of bauxite a year; the acquisition of additional ore-carrying vessels by the Ocean Dominion Steamship Co. to take care of increased shipments

Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 489,840; previous day, 317,280; week ago, 437,950; year ago, 790,220; two years ago, 757,980; January 1 to date, 14,833,135; year ago, 24,062,390; two years ago, 24,155,011.

Dow-Jones Stocks

By the United Press

New York, Jan. 29.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
30 industrials	147.05	145.86	146.36	—0.25
20 rails	30.86	30.63	30.69	—0.06
15 utilities	25.09	24.87	24.95	+0.07
65 stocks	49.44	49.05	49.18	—0.06

Transactions in stocks used in averages today:

Industrials	48,300
Rails	13,480
Utilities	23,700
Totals	82,480

Sales.	Add 00.	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge.
	A				
Adams Exp	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	.....
Air Reduction	3	52	51¾	51¾	— ¾
Air Way El Appl	2	¾	¾	¾	.....
Alaska Juneau	2	6¾	6½	6½	— ⅛
Allegh pf$30ww	6	11¾	11¼	11¾	— ⅛
Allegheny pr pf	1	15	15	15	.....
Allegh Ludl Stl	3	21	20¾	21	.....
Allen Industries	2	9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ⅛
Al Chem & Dye	6	173	172½	172½	— 1
Allied Kid	1	13½	13½	13½	+ ½
Allied Mills	6	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Allied Stra	1	8¼	8¼	8¼	+ ⅛
Allis Ch Mfg	8	37½	36¾	37	.....
Amal Leather	1	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	— ⅛
Amerada Corp	1	54¼	54¼	54¼	+ ¼
Am AsCh Del	1	20	20	20	.....
Am Airlines	18	49¼	48¾	48¾	.....
Am Bank Note	3	10¾	10¾	10¾	.....
Am Bk N pf	.50	47¾	47¾	47¾	— 1¼
Am Bosch	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	— ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	3	39¾	39½	39½	— ⅛
Am Can	14	116½	115¾	116½	+ ¾
Am Car & Fdy	1	25½	25½	25½	.....
Am Ch & Cable	2	21	20¾	20¾	.....
Am Chicle	1	133½	133½	133½	+ ¾
Am Comml Alco	2	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Am Crystal Sug	1	10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ⅛
Am Encaus Til	2	2¾	4½	2½	.....
Am & For Pow	2	1⅞	1¾	1⅞	.....
Am & F P $6 pf	2	1⅞	1¾	1⅞	.....
Am & F P $6 pf	20	19¾	20	20	+ ¼
Am & F P $7 pf	3	23¾	23	23¾	.....
Am & F P 2 pf	5	5½	5¾	5½	.....
Am-Hawaii SS	93	32¾	31¾	32¾	.....
Am Hide & L	11	5¼	5	5¼	.....
Am Hi & L pf	4	35	35	35	.....
Am Home Pr	3	58¾	58½	58½	.....
Am Ice	5	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	— ⅛
Am Ice pf	7	29¾	28½	28½	— ¼
Am Internatnal	4	5¾	5¾	5¾	.....
Am Locomotive	6	20	19¼	19¼	— ⅛
Am M & Fdy	2	14¾	14¼	14¼	.....
Am M & Met	1	2¼	2⅛	2⅛	.....
Am Metal	1	23¼	23¼	23¼	.....
Am Pow & Lt	8	4⅛	4	4⅛	— ⅛
Am P&L $6 pf	7	56	54	55	— ¾
Am P&L $5 pf	11	46½	45	45	— 1
Am Rad & StS	41	9¾	9¾	9¾	.....
Am Roll Mill	5	15½	15½	15½	— ⅛
Am Saf Razor	5	12	11¾	12	+ ⅛
Am Ship Bldgt	20	30½	30½	30½	— ⅛
Am Smelt & R	4	48¾	48¾	48¾	.....
Am Smelt&R pf	3	145¾	145¾	145¾	+ ¼
Am Stl Fdrs	2	28	27¾	27¾	+ ⅛
Am Sugar Ref	1	19¾	19¾	19¾	+ ⅛
Am Sumat Tob	1	15	15	15	.....
Am Tel & Tel	8	171¼	170½	170¾	— ¼
Am Tobacco	2	87¼	87¼	87¼	.....
Am Tob B	5	89	88½	88½	— ⅛
Am Type Fdrs	1	5¼	5¼	5¼	+ ⅛
Am Wat Wks	15	10¾	10¾	10¾	.....
Am Woolen	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	.....
Am Zinc L & S	13	6	6	6	.....
Anaconda	24	27¼	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
Anch Hock Gl	1	20½	20½	20½	+ ⅛
Armour Del pf	1	108	108	108	.....
Arm Ill	44	4¼	4¼	4¼	.....
Arm Ill pr pf	1	50¾	49¾	50¾	+ ⅛
Armstrong Cork	1	40	40	40	.....
Arnold Const	1	10½	10½	10½	.....
Assoc Inv pf	1.10	99¼	99	99¼	— ⅛
Atch T & S F	16	23½	23¼	23¼	.....
Atch T&SF pf	3	53	53	53½	+ 1¼
Atl Coast Line	3	19¾	19½	19½	.....
Atl G & W I n pf	1	15	15	15	+ ¼
Atl Refining	6	21	21	21	.....
Atlas Corp	1	6¼	6	6	.....
Atlas Tack	3	6½	6	6	.....
Auburn Auto	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	.....
Aviation Corp	11	7	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
	B				
Baldwin Loco ct	6	15¾	15	15	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio	7	5¾	5½	5½	— ⅛
Bang & Ar pf	.90	46½	45	45½	.....
Barnsdall Oil	5	12¾	12¼	12¼	— ⅛
Bayuk Cigar	5	27¼	27	27	.....
Bendix Aviat	49	31¼	30½	30¾	+ ⅛
Benef Ind Ln	2	22¼	22¼	22¼	.....
B Ind L pr pf	1	58¾	58¾	58¾	.....
Best & Co	2	38	38	38	.....
Beth Steel	25	74¾	73½	73½	— ⅛
Beth Stl 5% pf	30	20¾	20½	20½	.....
Beth Stl 7% pf	3	119¼	119¼	119¼	— 1
Black & Decker	1	19¾	19¾	19¾	.....
Blaw-Knox	5	10¼	10¼	10¼	.....
Blumenth S pf	1	75	73¾	75	+ 6½
Boeing Airpl	22	24¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Bon Ami A	30	119½	119½	119½	— ⅛
Bond Stores	1	22¾	22¾	22¾	.....
Borden Co	15	23	23	23	+ ⅛
Borg-Warner	15	24¼	24	24¼	+ ⅛
Boston & Me	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	.....
Bower Roll Bear	1	32½	32½	32½	.....
Brewing Cp Am	2	6¾	6¾	6¾	.....
Bridgep Brass	12	11¾	11¼	11¼	.....
Briggs Mfg	2	19¾	19¾	19¾	.....
Bristol-Myers	1	53	53	53	+ ⅛
Bklyn & Qu Tr	2	1½	1½	1½	.....
Bk & Q T pf ct	7	12¾	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Bklyn-Man Tr	35	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Bklyn-M Tr pf	4	41¾	41½	41¾	.....
Bklyn-M T pf ct	7	51½	50¾	50¾	— ⅛
Brunswicke-Bal	2	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Bucy-E 7% pf	10	103	103	103	.....
Budd Mfg	2	5¼	5¼	5¼	— ⅛
Budd Mfg pf	10	39¾	39¾	39¾	— ⅛

Sales.	Add 00.	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge.
Budd Wheel	2	5	5	5	+ ⅛
Bullard Co	1	22½	22½	22½	+ ⅛
Bulova Watch	1	28	28	28	.....
Burlins Mills	12	20½	20	20	— ⅛
Bush Terminal	4	3½	3½	3½	— ⅛
Butler Bros	3	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Butler Bros pf	1	21¾	21¾	21¾	+ ⅛
Butte Cop & Z	4	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	+ ⅛
Byers (AM) Co	1	12¼	12¼	12¼	+ ¼
Byers AM pf	.50	70¾	70½	70½	— ¾
Byron Jackson	2	14¾	14½	14¾	.....
	C				
Calif Packing	1	25½	25½	25½	+ ⅛
Callahan Z-Ld	6	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	.....
Calumet & Hec	3	6¾	6¾	6¾	+ ⅛
Campbell Wyant	5	14¼	14	14¼	+ ⅛
Can D G Ale	18	18¾	18¾	18¾	.....
Canad Pacific	17	5	4¾	4¾	— ⅛
Capital Ad A	1	5½	5½	5½	+ ⅛
Carriers & Gen	3	3	3	3	.....
Case (JI)	1	71	71	71	.....
Case (JI) pf	1.60	116½	116¼	116¼	— ¼
Caterpil Tractor	1	51¾	51¾	51¾	— ¼
Celanese Corp	5	27¾	27½	27½	— ⅛
Celan prpf	2.60	114¼	113¾	114	+ ⅛
Celotex Corp	7	10¾	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
Cent Aguirre	2	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Cent Foundry	2	3	3	3	.....
Cent Violeta Su	1	7	7	7	— ⅛
Certain-td Prd	1	6½	6½	6½	.....
Crt-td-6% pf	6.10	29	27¾	28¾	+ ¾
Champ Pap&F	1	23¼	23¼	23¼	— ¼
Ches & Ohio	7	39¾	39¾	39¾	— ⅛
Ches & Oh pf	1	93¾	93¾	93¾	.....
Childs Co	1	4¾	4¾	4¾	+ ⅛
Chi & W West	1	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....
Chi Mail Or	4	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Chi Pneu Tcvpf	2	34	34	34	.....
Chi Pneu Tprpf	1	49¾	49¾	49¾	+ ⅛
Chi Rk Is&Pac	1	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
CRI&Pac 6% pf	1	½	½	½	.....
Childs Co	1	5	5	5	+ ⅛
Chrysler Corp	34	83¾	82¾	82¾	— ⅛
City Ice&Fuel	4	14	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
ClevElllumpft	.50	113	113	113	— 1
Clev Graph Br	13	39	37¾	38½	+ ¾
Climax Molyb	10	37½	37½	37½	— ⅛
Ciuett Peabody	10	39¼	39	39	— ¼
Coca-Cola A	4	62½	62¼	62¼	+ 1
Colgate-Palm-P	10	18	17¾	18	.....
Colg-Palm-P pf	7	105½	105¼	105½	+ 1⅛
Collins & Aik	12	35	34½	34¾	+ ⅛
Collins&Aikpf	.10	111	111	111	+ ⅛
Colo&So 1pf	.50	4¼	4¼	4¼	— ⅛
Colum Br'cst A	3	24½	24¼	24¼	— ⅛
Colum Br'cst B	4	24	23¾	24	.....
Colum G&E	11	6¾	6¾	6¾	.....
Col G&S pf	A 2	89¼	89¼	89¼	— ⅛
Colum Pict vtc	2	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....
Colum Pict pf	2	23½	23¼	23¼	— ⅛
Colum Carbon	1	89	89	89	.....
Comi Credit	3	47½	47½	47½	— ⅛
Comml Invest Tr	5	53¾	53½	53¾	— ⅛
Comml Solvents	33	14	13¾	13¾	.....
Commwlth & Sc	11	1¼	1¼	1¼	.....
Com & South pf	7	65½	65¼	65½	+ ⅛
Com'weal Edis	32	32½	32	32	— ⅛
Congoleum-Nair	4	23¼	23¼	23¼	— ⅛
Congress Cigar	2	9¼	9	9¼	— ⅛
Consol Aircr	13	27½	27¼	27½	— ⅛
Consol Cigar	1	8	7¾	8	.....
Cons Coppermin	9	8	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
Cons Edison	36	31¾	31¾	31¾	— ⅛
Cons Edison pf	3	107½	107¾	107¾	+ ⅛
Consol Oil	11	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
Container Corp	3	18¼	18¼	18¼	— ⅛
Cont Bak A	2	14½	14	14½	+ ⅛
Cont Bak B	2	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	.....
Cont Can	15	42¾	42½	42½	— ⅛
Cont Can pf	1	116	116	116	.....
Cont Ins	28	39½	39½	39½	+ ⅛
Cont Motors	137	4	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Cont Oil Del	1	27¼	27¼	27¼	— ⅛
Corn Exchf	4.20	55¼	55	55¼	— ⅛
Corn Products	3	64½	64¼	64¼	+ ⅛
Coty Inc	1	5	5	5	.....
Coty Internat	12	1⅛	1	1⅛	+ ⅛
Crane Co	9	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Crane Co cv pf	1	102	102	102	+ 1¼
Crown Cork & S	8	29¼	28¾	28¾	+ ⅛
Crown C pf ww	1	40	39¾	40	+ ⅛
Crown C pf ww	1	40	39¾	40	+ 1¼
Crown Zellerb	17	16½	16½	16½	— ⅛
Crown Zell pf	10	90½	90	90½	.....
Crucible Steel	2	36¾	36¼	36¼	.....
Cuban-Am Sug	2	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Cudahy Pack	3	14¼	14	14½	+ ⅛
Cuneo Press	1	26¾	26¾	26¾	.....
Curtis Pub pf	1	44	44	44	.....
Curtiss-Wright	70	10¾	10¼	10¼	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	7	29¾	29¼	29¼	.....
	D				
Davison Chem	4	7¾	7½	7¾	.....
Deere & Co	3	20¾	20¾	20¾	.....
Deere & Co pf	4	26¾	26½	26¾	.....
Del & Hudson	4	19¼	19	19	.....
Del L & West	1	5	4¾	5	.....
Diamond Match	1	34½	34½	34½	— ⅛
Diam T Motor	4	9¼	9¼	9¼	.....
Distill Corp-Se	10	19½	19½	19¾	+ ⅛
DisCorp-S pf ww	1	81	81	81	.....
Doehler Die Cas	1	18¾	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
Dome Mines	6	23	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Doug Aircraft	11	83½	83	83	.....
Dow Chem	2	152½	152	152	.....
Dresser Mfg	2	16½	16½	16½	— ⅛
duPont de N	3	181	180½	181	+ ⅛
duPont pf	4	123¼	123¼	123¼	.....
	E				
Eastern Air L	32	30¾	30½	30½	+ ⅛
Eastman Kodak	1	161¼	161¼	161¼	.....
Eaton Mfg	2	32¾	32½	32½	— ⅛
El Auto-Lite	9	36½	35¾	35¾	— ⅛
Elec Boat	10	15½	15¼	15¼	.....
El Power & Lt	10	6¾	6½	6¾	+ ⅛
ElPow& Lt $6 pf	2	26	26	26	.....
El P & Lt $7 pf	4	30¾	30½	30½	.....
El Storage Bat	1	28¾	28¾	28¾	— ⅛
El Paso Nat Gas	3	37	37	37	.....
Endicott-John	1	45¾	45¾	45¾	+ ⅛
Eng Pub Serv	1	10	9¾	9¾	.....
Erie 1st pf	1		2¾	2¾	.....
Eureka V Clean	1		4½	4½	.....
Evans Products	1		8½	8½	+ ⅛
Ex-Cell-O	5	23	22½	22¾	— ⅛
	F				
Fairbks Morse	2	39	38½	39	.....
Falardo Sugar	1	26¾	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
Fed Mot Truck	2	4½	4½	4½	— ⅛
Fed Wat Svc A	2	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....
Ferro Enam	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	+ ⅛
Fid P F Ins	5	39¾	39¾	39¾	+ ⅛
Firestone T & R	1	19¾	19¾	19¾	— ⅛

Sales.	Add 00.	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge.
First Nat Stra	2	44½	44½	44½	+ ⅝
Flintkote	10	19¼	19¼	19¼	.....
Florence Stove	5	32½	32¼	32½	+ ⅛
Follansbee Bros	1	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	.....
Frk Simon pf	20	32¼	31	31	— ½
Freeport Sulph	2	33½	33	33½	— ⅛
	G				
Gabriel Co A	2	2¼	2¼	2¼	+ ⅛
Gar Wood Ind	1	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	.....
Gen Am Invest	1	6½	6½	6½	.....
Gen Am Trans	1	53	53	53	.....
Gen Baking	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	.....
Gen Cable	1	10½	10½	10½	.....
Gen Cable A	3	20	20	20	.....
Gen Cigar	1	18½	18½	18½	+ ⅛
Gen Cig pf	1.10	116	115½	116	+ ⅛
Gen Elec	36	39½	38¾	38¾	+ ⅛
Gen Foods	10	48	47¾	48	.....
Gen G & El A	1	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
Gen Mills	2	92½	92	92½	— ⅛
GenMills5%pf	.50	130	130	130	.....
Gen Motors	34	53	52¾	52¾	+ ⅛
Gen Motors pf	5	134¼	124¼	125¾	+ ⅛
Gen Out Advert	2	4½	4½	4½	.....
Gen Out Adv A	2	42¼	42	42	— 1
Gen Print Ink	4	9¾	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Gen Pub Service	1	1	1	1	.....
Gen Ry Signal	8	17½	16½	17¼	+ ⅛
Gen Shoe	5	15½	15½	15½	+ ⅛
Gen Tel	5	22	22	22	.....
Gen Thea Eq	3	12½	12½	12½	.....
Gen T & Rub	4	21¾	21½	21½	.....
Gillette Saf R	8	6¼	6¼	6¼	.....
Gill Saf R pf	1	50	50	50	.....
Gimbel Bros	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	.....
GimbelBros pf	4	54¾	53¾	54¾	+ ⅛
Glidden Co	4	18¼	18	18	.....
Glidden cv pf	2	42	42	42	.....
Gobel (Adolf)	13	2¾	2½	2¾	.....
Goebel Brew	2	2¾	2¾	2¾	.....
Goodrich (B F)	10	17¼	17	17	.....
Goodrich(BF)pf	1	63½	63½	63½	.....
Goodyr T&R	7	22¼	22½	22¼	.....
Graham-P Mo	15	1¼	1	1¼	.....
Grand Un w ct	2	14¾	14¼	14¾	— ⅛
Grant (WT)	3	32	32	32	+ ¼
Gt Nor I O ct	48	13¾	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Gt Northn Rypf	7	24¾	24¼	24¼	— ⅛
Gt West Sug	3	27¾	27¾	27¾	.....
Gt West S pf	.20	136½	135½	136½	+ 2½
Green Bay&W	.10	55	55	55	+ 1
Green (HL)	2	32¼	32¼	32¼	— ⅛
Greyhound pfd	1	11¾	11¾	11¾	.....
Greyhnd pf 1l	1	11¾	11¾	11¾	.....
Guantan Sug	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	.....
	H				
Hall (WF) Ptg	1	18¾	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
Han(M)15%pf	.40	103	103	103	.....
Harb-Walker	1	25¾	25¾	25¾	+ ⅛
Hat Crp AmA	2	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
Hat Crp AmPf	.10	94	94	94	+ 1
Hayes Mfg	13	34½	34	34	.....
Hazel-Atlas Gl	1	112¼	112¼	112¼	.....
Hecker Prod	2	10¼	10	10¼	+ ⅛
Hercules Powd	2	89	88	89	.....
Hersh Ch cvpf	1	112½	112½	112½	+ ⅛
Holland Furn	1	31¾	31¾	31¾	+ ⅛
Hollander (A)	2	6	6	6	.....
Homestake Min	6	59¾	59¾	59¾	— ⅛
Houd-Hershey A	1	33¼	33¼	33¼	— ⅛
Household Fin	3	70¾	69¾	70¾	+ 1⅛
Houston Oil	6	6	5¾	5¾	— ⅛
Howe Sound	1	49	49	49	.....
Hudson BayM&S	3	24¾	24¼	24¾	.....
Hudson Motor	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	.....
Hupp Motor	9	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
	I				
Illinois Central	2	13¾	11¾	11¾	.....
Ill Cent LLi	.20	39	39	39	.....
Indian Refin	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	.....
Indian Rayon	3	27	26½	26½	— ⅛
Inger Rand	6	115½	115	115½	+ ⅛
Inspirat Copp	3	11¼	11¼	11¾	.....
Insuransh ct	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	— ⅛
Interb R T	5	3¼	3¼	3¼	— ⅛
Interchem Crp	1	42	42	42	— ⅛
Interlake Iron	2	10¾	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
Int Agr pr pf	1	34½	34¼	34½	— ⅛
Int Bus Mach	2	182	181½	182	+ 1½
Int Harvester	9	56¼	55½	56¼	+ ⅛
Int Hydro-El A	3	4¾	4¼	4¼	.....
Int M Marine	51	9¾	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Int Mining	22	7	6¾	7	+ ⅛
Int Nick Can	22	36¾	36¼	36¼	.....
Int Pa & Pow	21	1⅜	1⅛	1⅛	.....
Int P & P pf	16	55	53¾	54¼	.....
Int Ry Cen Am	2	5	5	5	.....
Int R C A pf	.60	54¾	54½	54¾	.....
Int Tel & Tel	20	2¼	2¼	2¼	.....
Int Dept Strs	1	9¼	9¼	9¼	.....
Island Ork Coal	1	24¾	24¾	24¾	+ ⅛
	J				
Jarvis (W B)	2	15¾	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Jewel Tea	2	88½	88½	88½	— 1¾
Johns-Manville	2	72¾	72¾	72¾	— ⅝
Johns-M pf	.10	125	125	125	.....
	K				
Kelsey-H Wh A	1	11	11	11	— ⅛
Kennecott Corp	9	35½	35½	35½	— 1
Keystone S&W	4	13¾	13¾	13¾	.....
Kinney GR Co	3	3¼	3	3¼	.....
Kin GR 1$ pf	.70	30½	30½	30½	.....
Kresge (S S)	3	24½	24½	24½	— ⅛
Kroger Groc	17	29	29	29	+ ⅛
	L				
Lambert Co	6	16½	16½	16½	+ ⅛
Lehigh Port C	1	22	22	22	+ ⅛
Lehigh Val Coal	2	1	1	1	.....
Lehman Corp	6	21¾	21¼	21¼	— ⅛
Lehn & Fink	1	13	13	13	+ ⅛
Lib-O-F Glass	1	49	49	49	.....
Libby, McN & L	1	7½	7½	7½	— ⅛
Liggett & My	3	107¾	107	107¾	.....
Liggett & M B	11	108¼	108	108¼	.....
Link-Belt	2	37¾	37¼	37¾	+ ⅛
Lion Oil Ref	1	12½	12½	12½	— ⅛
Liquid Carbonic	5	17	17	17	— ⅛
Lockheed Aircr	91	31¾	30½	30½	— ⅛
Loew's Inc	8	35¾	35¾	35½	+ ⅛
Loft Inc	4	23¼	23¼	23¾	+ ⅛
Lone Star Cem	7	44¾	44	44	— 1
Long-Bell Lbr A	1	3¼	3¼	3¼	.....
Loose-Wil Bisc	2	17½	17½	17½	— ⅛
Lorillard (P)	11	24¾	24¼	24¾	+ ⅛
Louisv G&E A	2	19½	19½	19½	— ⅛
	M				
Mack Trucks	3	25¼	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
Macy (R H) Co	2	29	29	29	+ ⅛
Mad Sq Gar	2	12	12	12	+ ⅛
Magma Copper	1	33½	33½	33½	— ⅛

Sales.	Add 00.	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge.
Manati Sugar	1	3	3	3	.....
ManhR mod gtd	2	15½	15½	15½	— ⅛
ManRmod std ct	5	15⅝	15½	15⅝	— ⅛
Manhatt Shirt	1	15⅝	15½	15⅝	.....
Marac Oil Expl	1	1¼	1¼	1¼	+ ⅛
Marine Midland	2	4¾	4¾	4¾	.....
MarkSR pr pf	.50	4	4	4	.....
Marshall Field	2	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Martin(GL) Co	21	39	38½	38½	.....
Martin-Parry	8	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Mathieson Alk	4	29½	29⅜	29½	— ⅛
May Dept Stores	2	51½	51½	51½	— ⅛
McCall Corp	1	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	.....
McGraw Elec	1	24	24	24	+ ⅛
McIntyre Pore	3	45¾	45½	45½	— ⅛
McKesport Tin	4	11	11	11	.....
Mead Corp	8	10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ⅛
Mead C pf B ww	1	58¼	58¼	58¼	— 2¾
Mengel Co	1	5¼	5¼	5¼	.....
Mengel5%pf	1.80	23½	23½	23½	+ ⅛
MerchAM 7%	2.60	15⅝	15	15¾	+ 1⅛
Mesta Machine	1	29	29	29	.....
Miami Copper	4	9	8¾	9	+ ⅛
Mid-Cont Pet	1	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	— ⅛
Midland Stl Pf	1	35⅜	35⅜	35⅜	.....
Minn-Honey R	2	49¼	49¼	49¼	— ⅛
Minn-HonpfB†	.10	109½	109½	109½	— ⅛
Minn-Moline	2	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
Mo-Kan-Texas	1	1	1	1	.....
Mo-Kan-Tex pf	1	3¾	3¾	3

Unmentionable Snow Snarls British Isles

Read Between Lines To See How Censor Let the Word Out

By James B. Reston.
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London, Jan. 29.—The censor will not let this correspondent tell what kind of weather, but just the same, the weather has caused more confusion around here in the last 24 hours than all the air raids over this country since the start of the war.

It has caused cancellation of all leaves from the British expeditionary force; it threw railroad transportation into an incredible muddle and has transformed London into a city of unbelievable beauty.

It was an interesting sidelight that the British blamed the relaxation of censorship on weather conditions here for the visitation of birds of prey from Germany. It was believed that the German air staff interpreted reports of traffic dislocation throughout the United Kingdom as an indication that weather conditions were so bad British fighters would be unable to take off from airports.

Tops All Snarls

In a country which has produced some of the greatest transportation snarls since the industrial revolution, this one topped all. Three trains left from the north yesterday, two from Scotland at 7 and 10 o'clock in the morning and one from North England at 9:15 a. m.

A sad old man at Euston Station kept a score on them for a while. Carefully he posted them on the station board—first 15 minutes late, then 30, then an hour and then 2 hours. When he got to 440 minutes his chalk and temper ran out at the same time. The trains have not arrived here yet.

Between 300 and 400 passengers were stranded all night in trains near Chorley, Lancashire. They slept in the cold, bedless trains all night and in the morning when passengers on the Glasgow-London train woke up they were given the choice of getting out and trying to plow back to Glasgow.

Trains Really "Lost"

The same thing happened not only to the long cross-country trains which had to cross the moors but to the shorter runs as well. The "Irish Mail," which was due in London last evening at 6 o'clock was "still on the way," officials said tonight.

All in all, the people were not very pleasant in the capital this evening.

Passengers looking to the newspapers for some explanation of this unprecedented predicament, got little consolation. "Scottish Trains Lost" announced one paper. "London Trains 'Missing'" cried another. An alarmed correspondent telephoned to ask about this.

"Were the trains really lost?"

"Certainly not," replied an indignant clerk at the Liverpool Street Station, "for the time being we simply do not know where some trains are."

It's Just "Unmentionable"

Even when the trains got uncovered tracks, they sometimes were not moved. A Southern Railway train from Hayes arrived at the Londonbridge Station at 7:30. It's destination was Cannon Street, a mere mashie shot away. The train is supposed to make it in three minutes. It took thirty-seven.

In town things were equally bad. Innumerable cars seemed to be running engines at top speed but not moving an inch. Big red buses blodded and slithered along the streets. Even the subways, easily the most efficient and most modern touch of London, were bogged down all morning.

People were wondering what was going to happen here when the blitzkrieg comes if a little unmentionable weather causes so much trouble.

Club Asks Police To Spare Autos Locked in Snow

The Keystone Automobile Club yesterday appealed to the Metropolitan Police Department to use greater leniency in enforcing the 48-hour parking limit against cars held to the curb by snow and ice.

George E. Keneipp, president of the club, pointed out that many cars were in violation of regulations not because of the owner's will but because of the inadequacy of the city's snow-removal equipment.

Keneipp reported that Maj. Ernest W. Brown, superintendent of police, said the department was "doing its best to cooperate in a very difficult situation."

What's Going On And Where

Breakfasts
Early Birds, Willard Hotel, 8 a. m.
Gold Plate Breakfast, President's Birthday Celebration, Carlton Hotel, midnight.

Luncheons
Dartmouth Club, Hotel Annapolis, 12:30 p. m.
Institute of Electrical Contractors, Carlton Hotel, 12:30 p. m.
Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Hotel Raleigh, 12:30 p. m.
Gold Star Mothers, Hotel Raleigh, 1 p. m.
United Spanish War Veterans' Auxiliary, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p. m.
Civitan Club, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p. m.
Optimist Club, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p. m.
Women's National Press Club, Willard Hotel, 1 p. m.

Dinners
Majestic Distillers, Hotel Lafayette, 7 p. m.
President's Birthday Celebration Dinner, Willard Hotel, 7 p. m.
Royal Order of Jesters, Mayflower Hotel, 7:13 p. m.
American Association of Landscape Architects, Wardman Park Hotel, 7 p. m.

Meetings
Federal Bridge League, Wardman Park Hotel, 8 p. m.
American Society of Landscape Architects, Mayflower Hotel, 10 a. m.
International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission, Mayflower Hotel, 10 a. m.
Dames of the Loyal Legion, Mayflower Hotel, 7:30 p. m.
Wyckoff Associates, Inc., Willard Hotel, 8 p. m.
Syrian Washingtonian Club, Willard Hotel, 8 p. m.
Collectors Club, Branch No. 5, S. P. A., Thomson Community Center, 8 p. m.

Dances
Birthday Ball, Mayflower Hotel, 9 p. m.
Birthday Ball, Wardman Park Hotel, 9:30 p. m.
Birthday Ball, Hamilton Hotel, 9:30 p. m.
Birthday Ball, Raleigh Hotel, 9:30 p. m.
Birthday Ball, Washington Hotel, 9:30 p. m.
Birthday Ball, Shoreham Hotel, 9:30 p. m.

Johnson Heckled By Opponent for Seat in House

Annapolis, Jan. 29 (AP).—Frank R. Long, Kensington lawyer, filed for the Sixth District Republican Congressional nomination today, and issued a statement twitting Walter Johnson, former big league pitching hero, one of his opponents in the contest.

"Mr. Johnson passed from the north-paw into the cat's-paw class," Long said, implying that the Montgomery County commissioner was a "front man" candidate for other interests.

"We need pinch hitters in politics more than we need pitchers," the colorful little attorney wrote. "Mr. Johnson's no more a pitcher and never was a pinch hitter."

Long also said he expected to challenge State Senator Robert Kimble, of Allegany County, also seeking the Sixth District Republican nomination, to a political debate during the campaign.

D. C. Churches Hold Social Work Institute

Federation Sponsors Sessions Today at Foundry Methodist

With the theme of "the church and the community" and the objective of formulating church social welfare principles, the second annual Institute of Church Social Work will be held today at Foundry Methodist Church, under sponsorship of the Department of Social Welfare of the Washington Federation of Churches.

Ministers, missionary chairmen, chairmen of welfare committees, volunteer leaders of welfare activities and directors of religious education are expected to gather for the sessions which open at 10 a. m.

Three morning sessions will include a discussion of "Marriage and the Home," for ministers, under leadership of Dr. Warren D. Bowman, of Washington City Church of the Brethren; a seminary session on welfare projects and welfare committees in the local church, under direction of the Rev. John L. Mixon, executive head of the Department of Social Welfare of the Federation, and an Episcopal Conference to be led by the Rev. F. Bland Tucker, social welfare committee chairman of the Federation of Churches.

At the afternoon session beginning at 2 p. m. the Rev. Harry Porter, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church, will lead a discussion on "the church and the community." Memorial services for Clarence Phelps Dodge will be held at 4 p. m. Dr. J. Hillman Hollister, of Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church, will preside at the services.

Pedestrian Fined For Hitting Car

Detroit, Jan. 29 (U.P.).—A pedestrian hit an automobile today and was fined $10. William Cahill, 37, stumbled into the side of a car driven by James M. Crawford, 44, who fractured his left wrist attempting to push Cahill away. Judge Christopher E. Stein, finding Cahill guilty of drunkenness, said he was "the first reckless pedestrian I've ever encountered."

The Weather

Weather Conditions

Washington, Monday, Jan. 29—7:30 P. M. Local Weather Conditions
Forecast for the District of Columbia—Cloudy, followed by light snow Tuesday and Tuesday night; Wednesday fair; not much change in temperature; gentle southeast or east winds Tuesday becoming northerly Tuesday night.

For Maryland—Light snow in west and cloudy followed by light snows in east portions Tuesday and Tuesday night; Wednesday generally fair; not much change in temperature.

For Virginia—Light snow in west and cloudy followed by light snows in east portions Tuesday and Tuesday night; Wednesday generally fair; not muchc change in temperature.

Weather Conditions
The minor disturbance that was centered over western Lake Superior Sunday night has moved southeastward and is central over northeastern Indiana, South Bend, 1014.2 millibars (29.96 inches). It has been attended by light snow from Wisconsin and Michigan southward to Kentucky and western Tennessee. Fair weather has prevailed over practically all other sections. Pressure is relatively low and falling over western North Dakota, Williston, 1020.3 millibars (29.58 inches), and over the ocean east and southeast of Maine. High pressure prevails over the greater part of the United States and Alaska, Lander, Wyo., 1031.2 millibars (30.45 inches). International Falls, Minn., 1028.4 millibars (30.31 inches), Nome, Alaska, and Key West, Fla., 1026.0 millibars (30.22 inches), and Brownsville, Tex., and Baltimore, Md., 1023.0 millibars (30.21 inches). The temperature has continued to rise slowly in the Eastern and Southern States, but it is still considerably below normal from the Mississippi Valley eastward to the Atlantic Coast. Mild temperatu prevails over the westernr half of the United States.

Local Weather Report
Temperature—Midnight, 14; 2 a. m., 12; 4 a. m., 14; 6 a. m., 6.6; 8 a. m., 9; 10 a. m., 19; 12 noon, 28; 2 p. m., 29; 4 p. m., 29; 6 p. m., 27; 8 p. m., 26; 10 p. m., 21. Highest, 31. Lowest, 6.6. Relative humidity—7:30 a. m., 78; 1:30 p. m., 42; 7:30 p. m., 42. Rainfall (7:30 p. m. to 7:30 p. m.), none. Hours of sunshine, 8.2. Per cent of possible sunshine, 61.

Departures From Normal
Accumulated deficiency of temperature since January 1, 1940—241 degrees.
Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1940—1.20 inches.

Temperatures and Precipitation
Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended Monday at 7:30 p. m.

	Highest, Mon.	Lowest Mon. night, a.m.	Rain-fall, Sun. to Mon. 7:30 p.m.
Washington, D. C.	31	6.6	26 ....
Asheville, N. C.	37	3	29 ....
Atlanta, Ga.	40	15	34 ....
Atlantic City, N. J.	31	12	25 ....
Baltimore, Md.	35	12	23 ....
Birmingham, Ala.	39	18	37 ....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	34	2	24 ....
Boston, Mass.	33	13	27 ....
Buffalo, N. Y.	27	17	20 ....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	48	29	40 ....
Chicago, Ill.	26	23	24 ....
Cincinnati, Ohio	32	1	28 0.06
Cleveland, Ohio	26	8	26 ....
Dallas, Tex.	61	26	55 ....
Davenport, Iowa	24	13	20 ....
Denver, Colo.	52	28	48 ....
Des Moines, Iowa	24	15	20 ....
Detroit, Mich.	26	14	25 0.02
Duluth, Minn.	23	5	22 ....
El Paso, Tex.	65	32	63 ....
Galveston, Tex.	60	36	57 ....
Helena, Mont.	31	24	30 ....
Huron, S. Dak.	30	6	21 ....
Indianapolis, Ind.	27	13	24 ....
Jacksonville, Fla.	82	29	49 ....
Kansas City, Mo.	32	21	27 ....
Little Rock, Ark.	51	29	44 ....
Los Angeles, Calif.	77	55	75 ....
Louisville, Ky.	29	12	28 0.03
Marquette, Mich.	29	20	28 0.04
Memphis, Tenn.	49	27	37 ....
Miami, Fla.	81	56	56 ....
Minneapolis-St. Paul	19	8	16 ....
Mobile, Ala.	50	22	38 ....
New Orleans, La.	56	31	52 ....
New York, N. Y.	34	18	28 ....
North Platte, Nebr.	44	23	37 ....
Omaha, Nebr.	27	13	23 ....
Philadelphia, Pa.	33	19	29 ....
Phoenix, Ariz.	80	46	74 ....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	30	7	28 ....
Portland, Me.	30	7	25 ....
Portland, Oreg.	57	44	54 ....
Rapid City, S. Dak.	54	32	43 ....
St. Louis, Mo.	31	27	23 ....
Salt Lake City, Utah	46	29	41 ....
San Antonio, Tex.	72	34	66 ....
San Diego, Calif.	72	54	71 ....
San Francisco, Calif.	67	54	67 ....
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	51	26	48 ....
Savannah, Ga.	48	16	36 ....
Seattle, Wash.	58	50	56 ....
Springfield, Ill.	33	21	14 ....
Tampa, Fla.	83	58	40 ....
Vicksburg, Miss.	52	30	47 ....

Bricker Lashes Veto of Ohio Relief Bill

Declares 'Arrogant Individual' Defied Representatives of State

Gov. John W. Bricker, of Ohio, lashed out at President Roosevelt last night for his veto of the $1,300,000 Ohio relief bill and said his action tended to "destroy the very foundations of representative government."

Without mentioning the President by name, he said the bill was vetoed by "that same arrogant individual that had defied the representatives of a soverign State when they asked for money justly due."

His reference was to sums withheld from Ohio by the Social Security Board in 1938 on the ground that that State's administration of its old-age assistance plan was not according to the law.

A bill to give Ohio the relief money was vetoed by President Roosevelt last Wednesday.

Hold Defects Corrected

Admitting that defects had existed, Gov. Bricker said they had been corrected and charged that the Federal Government had therefore no right to continue withholding the money.

"There is far more at stake in this than the $1,300,000," he exclaimed. "If this policy continues, if any representative of a bureau in Washington can penalize a State without resource to court you have destroyed the very foundations of representative government."

Gov. Bricker delivered his attack at a dinner-dance of the Ohio State Society in the Raleigh Hotel, celebrating the birthday anniversary of President McKinley. More than 300 persons attended.

The governor, a "dark horse" possibility for the Republican nomination for the Presidency, was introduced by Senator Robert H. Taft, of Ohio, a professed candidate. Taft praised Bricker for making Ohio one of the most efficiently governed States in the Union, and declared that the integrity of State governments is the guarantee of democracy.

Gov. Bricker departed widely from the prepared text of his speech, in which he was to have referred repeatedly to the "bureaucratic dictators in Washington."

New Members Present

Senator Taft was toastmaster of last night's dinner of the Ohio State Society, of which he is president. Representative Dudley A. White (Republican), vice president of the society, brought greetings from the Ohio delegation in Congress.

Twelve new members of the society were introduced at the dinner by the secretary, R. Williams. They were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Berger, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brooher, Miss Virginia L. Cochnower, Miss Mildred L. Dager, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hier, Miss Carolyn Hinckley, Miss Frances C. La Paglia, J. F. Sandford and Misss Marie B. Tabinski.

The following committee was elected to nominate officers for 1940: Howard L. Mathews, W. J. Hogan, Stephen A. Armstrong, E. A. Drake, Miss Mildred Reeves, Dr. S. D. Shankland and A. H. Snyder.

Mother Bernadine, Former Teacher in St. Patrick's, Dies

Mother Bernadine, Catholic sister at the Ursuline Convent, 519 Fourth street northwest for 23 years, died there yesterday. She was 83.

Before taking the veil in 1873, Mother Bernadine was Miss Sarah White, of New York City. She taught in convents in various parts of the country, including Frostburg and Brunswick, Md., and Providence, R. I.I., before joniing the Ursuline Sisters in 1917. Until ten years ago she taugh in the elementary grades of St. Patrick's School.

Mother Bernadine leaves one sister, Miss Mary Agnes White, of New York City.

The Rev. Lawrence J. Shehan, assistant pastor of St. Patrick's Church, will say requiem mass at 10 a. m. tomorrow at the convent. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Lusk Advocates Jobless Tax Cut

Rufus S. Lusk, president of the Washington Taxpayers Association, last night urged revision of the unemployment compensation act that needlessly "tages a huge amount of money from business in Washington."

Lusk declared more than $500,000 a month is collected in pay rool and salary taxes, much more than is needed for employment compensation purposes.

Alfred G. Earnest, manager of Ewart's Cafeteria, was elected president of the restaurant association. Other officers included Evan Sholl, of Sholl's Cafeteria, first vice president; Mrs. Ada Papps, of the Blue and Gray Cafeteria, second vice president; Raymond Lurba, of Pomona Restaurant, secretary-treasurer.

Transfers

Navy
COMMANDERS
George A. Seitz, Patrol Wing 1, to staff, cdr., Airc. Scts. Force.
Spencer H. Warner, staff, cdr., Airc. Scts. Force, to trmt., Nav. Hosp., San Diego.
Thomas D. Warner, Nav. inspr. ord., Newport News Shipbldg. & DD Co., to U. S. S. Tuscaloosa.
LIEUTENANT COMMANDERS
Robert W. Berry, U. S. S. Milwaukee to Nav. Operations.
William G. Fewel, Nav. Trng. Sta., Newport, to cfo. U. S. S. Seminole and in command when commissioned.
Willis A. Lent, Nav. Yd., Portsmouth, N. H., to cfo. U. S. S. Triton and in command when commissioned.
Stanley J. Michael, hydrographic office to cfo. U. S. S. Goldsborough and in command when commissioned.
Walter V. R. Vieweg, gunnery and tactics officer, Pat. Wing 1, to duty as operations officer, Pat. Wing 1.
LIEUTENANTS
Elwood C. Madsen, U. S. S. Honolulu to Nav. Sta., Guam.
Thomas J. Hamilton, Patrol Sqdn. 12, to staff-cdr. Patrol Wing 1.
ENSIGNS
Alexander Groves, 12th Nav. Dist., to temp duty under instrn., Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola.
Wade C. Shaffer, U. S. S. Biddle to cfo. PC-450 and on board when comm.
Albert O. Vorse, jr., U. S. S. Astoria to temp. duty under instrn., Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola.
Medical Corps
LIEUTENANTS (J. G.)
Nicholas E. Dobos, duty under instrn., Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, to duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola.
Charles F. McCaffrey, duty under instrn., Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, to duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola.
Dental Corps
LIEUTENANT COMMANDER
Sigmingfield, Ill. .....
Thomas, Fla. .....
Edmund Laughlin, Nav. Trng. Sta., Nob, Norfolk, to Nav. Sta., Key West.

Canoe Rescues Boy, 14, Drifting Toward Niagara

North Tonawanda, N. Y., Jan. 29 (U.P.).—A 14-year-old boy, drifting helplessly on an ice cake toward Niagara Falls, was rescued by rivermen, police and firemen.

The hazardous rescue was made by means of a canoe after a midstream struggle at a point about 10 miles above the falls in Niagara River. Failure in the attempt would have doomed the boy, rivermen said.

The rescued boy, Richard Abby, was given emergency treatment for exposure and shock and taken home by police. A physician said he would suffer no ill effects.

He was taken off the ice cake about a half hour after his weak cries for help were heard by Joseph Dey, a riverman, who was working in the dusk on the Niagara bank.

President Sees Oil Man Who Visited Goering

Torkild Rieber Pays Two-Hour Visit at The White House

By Frank L. Kluckhohn.
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President Roosevelt conferred for half an hour yesterday with Torkild Rieber, American oil executive, who has returned from Germany, where he had a conversation lasting over two hours with Marshal Goering, whom Adolf Hitler has selected as his heir.

Marshal Goering's name frequently has been mentioned as that of one with whom the allied nations might be willing to treat if peace were possible before the European war takes a more sanguinary turn. As a result of Rieber's visit to the White House, speculation developed yesterday as to whether Marshal Goering had advanced suggestions of possible peace basis which he desired to reach President Roosevelt's ear.

It was taken for granted that Rieber, chairman of the board of the Texas Oil Co., had outlined Marshal Goering's view of the present wartime situation and his own impression of conditions in Germany to the President.

E. S. Harkness, Philanthropist, Dies at 66

Gave Broadway Tract For Medical Center; Unit Bears His Name

By the Associated Press

New York, Jan. 29.—Edward Stephen Harkness, 66, multimillionaire railroader and philanthropist, died tonight at his Madison avenue home.

He was a director of the New York Central Lines and the Southern Pacific Co.

In one of his principal philanthropies he and Mrs. Stephen V. Harkness in 1924 donated a 20-acre tract on Upper Broadway for the medical center which has a unit bearing his name, the Harkness Pavilion.

He gave the New York public library $1,000,000 and among his many benefactions in the field of education he donated $1,000,000 for the Department of Dramatic Arts in the School of Fine Arts at Yale University, his alma mater, from which he received an A. B. degree in 1897 and a master's in 1925.

He was awarded the LL. D. degree by both St. Andrew's University, Scotland, in 1926, and Columbia University, in 1928.

It has been estimated unofficially that Harkness spent in the neighborhood of $25,000,000 on his alma mater, much of which went into construction of classroom buildings and undergraduate college quarters.

Harkness provided funds for six of the seven new undergraduate college buildings, established the department of drama and built the university theater and the present gallery of fine arts. He also had remodeled into two undergraduate colleges the famous memorial quadrangle, which was the gift of his mother, Mrs. Stephen V. Harkness. Other contributions included bursary or work scholarship funds for scores of undergraduates.

Harvard University's "house plan" was made possible by Harkness through an $11,392,000 donation in 1929.

The gift provided for establishment of seven houses, in each of which reside from 232 to 300 students of the three upper college classes and members of the faculty.

Harkness was known for other gifts for educational purposes, among them: $320,000 to Phillips Exeter Academy, $320,000 to Phillips Academy at Andover, $300,000 to Deerfield Academy and $175,000 to the Wellesley College Endowment Fund.

Virginia Five Beats Gobblers

Roanoke, Va., Jan. 29 (AP).—The University of Virginia basketball team defeated Virginia Tech, 34 to 25, here tonight.

Led again by big Bill Harmon, the Cavaliers took the lead soon after the contest opened. The Gobblers approached to within three points of their rivals just before the half but Bill Board sank a short one and Billy McCann dropped one in to send the Cavaliers ahead, 17 to 10, at the intermission.

N.E.B.C. Wins Twice

Takoma	G	FG	P
Tarbett,f	4	1	9
Willett,f	4	0	8
Gunn,c	0	0	0
Smith,g	0	3	3
Tabbiit,g	5	2	12
Totals	13	6	32

N.E. B. C.	G	FG	P
Stasulli,f	2	2	6
Cooksey,f	6	0	12
Graves,c	4	0	8
Michaels,g	2	0	4
Donaldson,g	1	0	2
Brennahan,g	6	2	14
Brennan,g	0	0	0
Totals	21	4	46

Referee—Yurwitz.

N.E. B. C.	G	FG	P
Stasulli,f	5	4	20
Cooksey,f	4	0	8
Embrey,c	5	0	10
Adams,c	0	0	0
Brennahan,g	6	0	12
Michaels,g	6	0	12
Totals	29	4	62

Battery C.	G	FG	P
Schwab,f	4	0	8
Pesaresi,f	0	0	0
Demartins,f	1	0	2
Rocinsky,f	1	0	2
Stiffler,c	0	0	0
Majora,c	3	0	6
Malishank,g	2	2	6
Sturgill,g	0	0	0
Craig,g	1	0	2
Zelenak,g	0	0	0
Totals	13	2	26

Merit System Bill Reaches Va. Assembly

Miller, Quesenbery Offer Measure in House of Delegates

By the Associated Press

Richmond, Va., Jan. 29.—A State personnel system, providing for appointment and promotion on the basis of merit and fitness, was proposed today in a bill offered in the House of Delegates by Delegates Francis Pickens Miller, of Fairfax, and C. G. Quesenbery, of Waynesboro.

The measure carries out recommendations of a subcommittee of the Governor's advisory legislative council, which made a study of conditions of State employment and previous proposals for setting up a merit system. Miller was chairman of the group.

A State-wide Sunday prohibition of the sale of alcoholic beverages, including 3.2 beer, would be instituted under two other bills introduced in the House by Delegates A. E. S. Stephens, of Isle of Wight; J. Tinsley Coleman, jr., of Nelson; A. O. King, of South Boston, and M. Hill Abernathy, of Brunswick.

Chief among the new legislation proposed on the Senate side was a bill by Senators R. O. Norris, jr., of Lancaster; Charles T. Moses, of Appomattox, and H. B. Moseley, of Brunswick, to make agricultural cooperatives subject to the same State and local taxes on purchases for or sales to nonmembers as are prescribed for other businesses. The State tax commission would designate such commodities as might be exempted from taxation.

Effort Against Another Bill

This plan represents an effort to forestall enactment of a bill previously offered to make cooperatives subject to the same taxes as other businesses.

The Senate courts of justice committee reported by a vote of 13-1 a joint resolution calling for a State constitutional amendment to prohibit the diversion of State highway funds.

The Senate committee on general laws referred to a subcommittee a bill by Senator Harvey B. Apperson, of Roanoke, to empower the State alcoholic beverage control board to prohibit as well as regulate the advertising of alcoholic beverages.

The House courts of justice committee announced a public hearing would be held Thursday at 9:45 a. m. on the Leon Bazile bill to prohibit State agencies from issuing rules and regulations having the effect of law.

Budget Bill Hearings Open

The Senate finance and House appropriations committee topped off the legislators' busy day by opening hearing on the $177,000,000 budget bill.

The personnel plan would establish the Governor as the chief personnel officer with department chiefs serving as their respective agency personnel officers. The Governor would have authority to establish a classification and compensation plan, along with a system of service ratings, for all State employed affected by the merit plan.

Elected officials and department heads and commissioners appointed by the Governor, certain confidential employes, the judiciary and some other groups would be exempted. Persons holding State positions when the act became effective would be regarded as having qualified under it.

Another bill introduced in the House by Delegate Burnett Miller, jr., of Culpeper, would provide $6,460 for the acquisition of land at some suitable location in northern Virginia for a new agricultural experiment station to be operated under Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

Dance Hall Bill Recommitted

The J. T. Coleman bill to regulate public dance halls was recommitted to the finance committee. A joint resolution calling upon Congress to reduce existing excise taxes on tobacco and tobacco products was referred to the committee on agriculture.

The Senate concurred in a House joint resolution urging establishment of a Civilian Conservation Corps camp at the Manassas Battlefield Park.

Among the bills passed by the Senate was a measure by Senator Harry C. Stuart, of Russell, authorizing county boards of supervisors to release all penalties, interest and costs on real estate taxes due for 1939 and previous years if the taxes due were paid by December 5, 1940.

In the group given final approval by the House were the E. B. Moore-Louderback bill permitting the gigging of German carp in the Shenandoah River in Page, Rockingham, Clarke, Warren and Shenandoah counties; the Bazille-Stephens-Waldrop bill clearing up a jurisdictional question in connection with the acquisition of post-office sites; the E. B. Moore bill naming a bridge across Shenandoah River on Route 7 the "Castlemans Ferry Bridge," and a bill by Delegate King which would permit established mercantile establishments to sell spectacles.

Gov. Price indicated today he would deliver a special message to the Assembly Tuesday or Wednesday on proposals for further reorganization of State agencies.

Bills introduced today, with their patrons, included:

Recreation League

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30
McKinley High Division
Northeast Merchants vs. Marvin's Credit, 7:30; Maritime Commission vs. G. A. O., 8:30; Petworth vs. Regal Clothiers, 9:30.
Eastern Division
Bantam Press vs. Trinity M. E., 8:00; S. Kann's vs. Mt. Rainier No. 2, 9:00.
Langley Division
Civil Service vs. DeMolay, 7:00; Trojans vs. D. C. Slents, 7:00; Mails and Files vs. Bates A. C., 8:00; Commodity Credit vs. Theta Delta Phi, 9:00; Arcade vs. Publicity, 8:00; Stockboys vs. Interstate Clippers, 9:00.
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31
Roosevelt High Division
Retail Clerks vs. Northern Preps, 7:30; Wallace Memorial vs. Pepco, 8:30; Sixth Presbyterian vs. Mount Rainer, No. 1, 9:30.
Central High Division
Cal's Valet vs. Railroad Retirement Board, 7:30; Treasury vs. N. Y. Life Ins., 8:30; Sigma Phi Epsilon vs. NLRB, 9:30.
Hine Division
Cardinals vs. Owls, 8:30; Eagles vs. Penguins, 9:30.
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1
Roosevelt High Division
Red Cross vs. McLean A. C., 7:30; Atchison-Keller vs. Agriculture, 8:30; Jewish Community Center vs. Washington Flour, 9:30.
Central High Division
Mt. Vernon A. A. vs. United Food Stores, 7:30; G. P. O. Apprentices vs. Georgetown Blue Streaks, 8::30; Social Security vs. Civil Aeronautics, 9:30.
Eastern Division
Bolling Field vs. Trinity, 8:00; Greenbelt vs. S. Kann's, 9:00.
Langley Division
A. B. Social Club vs. Greyhounds, 7:00; Lexington vs. 25 Club, 8:00; Sherwood vs. Greek-Americans, 9:00.
Langley Division (G. P. O. League)
Proof Room vs. Document, 8:00; Job Press No. 1 vs. Job Press No. 2, 9:00.
Hine Division
Christ Church A. C. vs. Celtics, 7:30;

Smooth-Skating Speed Specialists

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

New United States records were posted at La Crosse, Wis., by Bunny Lawler (left), of Chicago, and Audrey Naas, of Minneapolis, in the National Amateur Speedskating Championships. Bunny bettered the 220-yard intermediate girls' mark when she finished in 21.4 seconds and Audrey negotiated the 220 in the girls' division in 21.5 to break her own mark

De Correvont Denies Coach Demand Story

Northwestern Star Says He Did Not Ask For Change in Setup

Evanston, Ill., Jan. 29.—Bill De Correvont, Northwestern University's much-publicized halfback, insisted stoutly today that he had not asked for two new coaches as the price for remaining in school—in spite of radio and published reports.

A radio report last night said De Correvont has notified Northwestern athletic authorities that: 1. Either a new head coach be hired; 2, or he be permitted to select a new backfield coach, the implication seemed to be that he would leave the institution unless he had his way.

"I wouldn't think of saying anything like that," De Correvant said.

"It is preposterous. I don't see any reason for even commenting," said Head Coach Lynn Waldorf.

"I don't know anything about it. I have had no trouble with De Correvont, and I haven't seen or talked with him for quite a while," said Arthur (Dutch) Lonborg, backfield coach.

Athletic Director Kenneth L. (Tug) Wilson said it was news to him.

The Chicago Herald-American said there was talk on the Wildcat campus that De Correvont and other members of the squad had been critical of Lonborg's work as backfield coach.

This also has been denied by De Correvont.

Delhuds Beat FBI, 48-42

Heurich Play-Off Is Form Reversal

Delaware & Hudson staged a comeback last night as it turned the tables on Federal Bureau of Investigation in a second-half Heurich Amateur Basketball League game before 350 enthusiastic fans at Heurich gymnasium, 48 to 42.

FBI, a first-half conqueror of D. & H. failed utterly to match the pace of D. & H. despite the 12-point scoring of Al Waters, formerly of the University of Maryland.

Tommy Folliard, former Gonzaga High School star, scored nine field goals—many of them spectacular—while sparking D. & H. to victory. The eventual winner led at half, 25 to 21.

Marvin's Credit nosed out Regal Clothiers for the mythical Clothiers' title of Seventh street, 39 to 37. United Typewriters rolled over Garvin's Grill in the other supporting feature, 71 to 24.

Sidat-Singh Star Team Wins, 69-51

Sidat Singh, former Syracuse grid and court star, and Willie Wynn, Howard alumnus, led the Recreation Collegians, a team of former college basketball players, to a 69-51 victory over Howard University last night in the losers' gym.

Singh's 19 points and Wynn's 10 led the winners, while Jackson and Palmer starred for Howard.

The Recreation five will meet the Virginia State next Monday night at the Banneker Recreation Center. The Virginians will stop over on a northern trip.

Galiano Knocks Out Burns in Baltimore

Baltimore, Jan. 29 (AP).—Pete Galliano, of Baltimore, scored a fifth-round knockout tonight over Charley Burns, of Johnstown, Pa., after having taken a count of six in the second round.

Burns weighed 143¾ to 140 for Galiano.

The Johnstown lightweight won the first two rounds without much trouble but in the fourth Galiano dropped him twice for counts of eight. Galiano smacked him to the canvas twice again in the fifth for no count, but a right to the jaw near the end of the round finished the fight for Burns.

Bellman Takes Lead

Bellman Heating took undisputed leadership of the Community Center basketball league last night by defeating the Arlington A. C., 38-18, on the Roosevelt High gym. Bellman has won four games without a defeat.

Cady Defeats Frady to Gain Semifinals

1,800 See 126-Pound Boys Steal Golden Glove Spotlight

FIGHTS, from Page 16.

Club, No. 10, who defeated Dick Tracy, of No. 5.

The Cady-Frady affair furnished about as much action as the fans could desire and almost ended with the Pete's A. C. candidate taking the count.

Bernie, 17-year-old brother of St. John's football star, Frank Cady, was undaunted by the potent left hook offerings of Frady and pounded Benny to the floor twice in the second round.

Frady took a count of nine the first time, came back up to run into Bernie's right hook and straight left again and again. He went down under a savage attack apparently for keeps, but the bell saved him.

It was bitter, accurate slugging from bell to bell and the crowd was in such an uproar that Cady slapped Frady for some five seconds after the tolling signaling the end of the first round. Frady fathomed Cady's southpaw tactics in the third round and rallied sufficiently to box him on even terms.

Ray Landis, Phil Furr's promising protege, came from way far behind in his 135-pound battle with a hard hitting southpaw from Merrick Boys' Club, Ray Bernard, to take a close decision that drew booes.

Landis constantly tried to run through Bernard's outstretched right hand instead of trying to go around it and was in trouble no less than three times in the first two rounds. His rally, nothing short of amazing, found him pounding the tiring Bernard until the latter's mouth hung open gasping for breath. Another ten seconds and he would have gone down to stay.

Novices
112-POUND CLASS—Joe Durkin (Langley A. C.) technical knockout over Billy Graves (unattached), two rounds.
118-POUND CLASS—Joe Morgan (No. 5) outpointed Chick Gilroy (Merrick).
126-POUND CLASS—Donald Gray (Pete's A. C.) outpointed Milton Rudd (No. 10); Harry Kelley (No. 10) outpointed Dick Tracy (No. 5); Bernie Cady (unattached) outpointed Bill Corkley (Pete's A. C.).
135-POUND CLASS—Ray Landis (unattached) outpointed Ray Bernard (Merrick); Lewis Burgess (Pete's A. C.) outpointed Al Sauer (Merrick); Bill Purdy (No. 5) outpointed Joe Sullivan (Merrick); Tommy Johns (St. Mary's) outpointed Willie Hartnett (No. 5).
Senior Division
135-POUND CLASS—Bernie Morris unattached) defeated Milton Cormon, technical knockout, 1 minute 35 seconds, second round.
147-POUND CLASS—Jim Pearow (National Guard) outpointed Billy De Zerne (No. 10); Nick Mancini (Pete's A. C.) outpointed Frank McCaleb (St. Mary's).

Ambers Defeats Hally Easily

Providence, R. I., Jan. 29 (INS).—Throwing leather from all directions, "Herkimer" Lou Ambers, world's lightweight champion, tonight won an easy 10-round decision from Wally Hally, of Los Angeles, in a nontitle fight at the Rhode Island Auditorium.

A capacity crowd of more than 5,000 cash customers watched Ambers hand the California boy a boxing lesson. Ambers captured every round.

Both fighters came into the ring over the lightweight limit, Ambers tipping the scales at 140 pounds and Hally at 139½.

Pofahl, Nat Rookie, Marries Saturday

Kenyon, Minn., Jan. 29 (AP).—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Orban announced tonight that their daughter, Betty Ann, would be married to Jimmy Pofahl, rookie Washington Sen

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1609, 214—Galena Mfg. Co. vs. Coe. Attys., E. W. Shepard—W. W. Cochran.
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912, 67027—Miller et al. vs. Coe. Attys., H. T. Stowell—W. W. Cochran.
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1254, 67934—Tavener vs. Tavener. Attys., T. J. Canning—O'Shea: Burnett & Goldstein.
1687, 726—Apex Electrical Manufacturing Co. vs. Coe. Attys., T. A. Hostetler—W. W. Cochran.
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1097, 63499—Dessin vs. Dessin. Attys., Keogh & Chaconas—J. A. Marshall.
1710, 995—Wills vs. Wills. Attys., P. J. Sedgwick—J. W. Hellman.
1716, 67588—Dent vs. Dent. Attys., H. A. Heitmuller—E. Cox.
1719, 553—Isaacs vs. Isaacs. Attys., J. DiLeo—C. M. Gold.
1722, 1039—Reed vs. Reed. Attys., Phil Biggins—R. W. McCullough.
1725, 67433—Dearing vs. Dearing. Attys., G. D. Tyler—D. T. Hatfield.
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1745, 788—Jones vs. Jones. Attys., J. L. Chapman—Ray Neudecker.
1748, 64672—Alexander vs. Alexander. Attys., E. G. Hubert—O'Shea, Burnett & Goldstein.
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1763, 800—Mushinsky vs. Mushinsky. Attys., T. E. Lodge—E. Klein.
1769, 615—Boucher Inv., Ltd., vs. Sola Electric Co. Attys., H. Ward; J. H. Jaynt—N. J. Jewett.
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1803, 65630—Harris vs. Harris. Attys., G. E. Hayes—Earl C. Walck.
1805, 364—Henderson vs. Henderson. Attys., J. Tannenbaum—L. G. Wood.
1807, 838—Gray vs. Gray. Attys., Catherine McCloskey—Milton Conn.
1809, 1116—Corwin vs. Corwin. Attys., H. J. Wincosky—Norma Britton.
1814, 68119—Edwards vs. Edwards. Attys., A. A. Solem—Morris Benson.
1820, 1040—Ellis vs. Coe. Attys., Sol Shappirrio—W. W. Cochran.
1822, 1283—Wright vs. Wright. Attys., Arthur E. Bowles—M. R. Weeks.
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1826, 67005—Heinrich vs. Heinrich. Attys., Burton A. McGann—Samuel Lebowitz.
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1828, 67880—Oliver vs. Oliver. Attys., P. L. Delaney—H. E. Bryan.
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1840, 1184—Holtzman vs. Holtzman. Attys., S. G. Ingham—W. M. Hoffman, Jr.
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1851, 843—Carman vs. Coe. Attys., C. A. O'Brien—W. W. Cochran.
1852, 67625—Degges vs. Degges. Attys., J. L. Sadler—P. J. Kelly.
1853, 68039—Johnson vs. Johnson. Attys., T. H. Patterson—S. P. Smith.
1854, 363—Chesworth vs. Chesworth. Attys., A. L. Beasley—H. W. Goldberg.
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225, 89024—Callahan vs. Groover et al. Attys., R. S. Norris; H. I. Quinn—Welch, Daily & Welch.
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1024, 90233—Barrett vs. Eastern Construction Co. Attys., Lester Wood; B. M. Chernoff—E. L. Jones.
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4844—Clark vs. Morrison. Attys., Marks—Barbour, Garnett, Pickett & Hill.
89469—Jarman vs. Hecht Co. Attys., Newmyer—Simon, Koenigsberger & ——
5503—Coen vs. Katz; rule.
5234—Freedman vs. Stevens et al. Attys., Bolotin & Brown.
5129—Bradt vs. Schmeltzer et al. Attys., Frost, Myers & Towers—Brashears, Townsend, O'Brien & Beasley.
3093—Grim et al. vs. Havenner et al. Attys., King—Bird.
59594—Saltz Bros. vs. Saltz et al. Attys., Laskey—Tobriner, Graham, Brez & Toobriner.
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5600—Robert James Harlow vs. Otto Sloper et al.; damages, $10,000. Atty., Joseph D. Bulman.
5601—Cora Elizabeth Haskins vs. Earl E. Harrington et al.; damages, $20,000. Attys., Lewis H. Shapiiro.
5602—Monnie E. Hoy vs. John C. Hoy; absolute divorce. Atty., Lewis H. Shapiro.
5603—Jerry De Lisio et al. vs. Thomas Alongi; damages, $15,000. Attys., Salvatore E. Leonardo.
5604—Louis DeLisio et al. vs. Thomas Alongi; damages, $15,000. Atty., Salvatore E. Leonardo.
5605—Colleen Sullivan Harrison vs. Arthur R. Harrison; absolute divorce. Atty., Raymond Neudecker.
5606—Lillian A. Palmer vs. Ewart's Cafeteria, Inc.; damages, $15,000. Atty., Walter J. Cahill.
5607—Charles O. Knott vs. Meridian Engineering & Construction Corp. et al.; to substitute trustee. Atty., Herman Miller.
5608—Pete Kalavintinos vs. Frank Kidwell; injunction, etc. Atty., Herman Miller.
5609—Edith Tanner vs. Payton Tanner; absolute divorce. Attys., Cobb, Howard & Hayes.
5610—Mrs. Georgia Lane vs. James C. C. Lane; limited divorce. Attys., Cobb, Howard & Hayes.
5611—Charles Burns vs. Alton C. White; damages, $5,000. Atty., Dorsey K. Offutt.
5612—Adelard Breton et al. vs. Corcoran Fire Insurance Co.; to substitute trustee. Atty., F. H. Ridgway.
5613—National Savings & Trust Co. et al. vs. R. G. Donaldson; note, $16,246.92. Attys., Minor, Gatley & Drury.
5614—Copeman Laboratories Co. vs. Conway F. Coe, Commissioner of Patents, for letters patent. Atty., Sidney W. Russell.
5615—Elsie May Wibiltzhouser vs. Kenneth Frank Wibiltzhouser; maintenance. Attys., Gowen & Fitzpatrick.
5616—Thomas K. Conrad vs. Sarah V. Altman; damages, $10,000. Attys., R. H. Yeatman.

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4399—Williams vs. Brown; order denying motion for more definite statement.
3890—Hildebrant vs. Hines; order denying motion for summary judgt.
5368—Fowler vs. Fowler; order for maintenance.
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86?5—Thurman, Admnx., vs. U. S. A.; order for summons of witnesses.
5454—Pilot Shoe Co. vs. Jack Schwartz et al.; consent order dismissing rule.
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5612—Breton vs. Corcoran Fire Ins. Co.; order appt. F. H. Ridgway sub. trustee.
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5398—Cowan vs. Cowan, jr.; order for alimony pendente lite and custody.
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4868—Musselman et al. vs. D. C.; order sustaining motion to dismiss 10 days to amend.
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90189—William L. Bowling vs. Trants, Inc., et al.; praecipe dismissing cause.
89769—Moore & Hard vs. Try Me Bottling Co.; case continued to February 5.
89038—D. C. to use of Michael Altieri vs. Michael Del Balso, Inc., et al.; jury sworn and respited to January 30.
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89943—Barlow vs. I. T. O. A. et al; motion for new trial argued and overruled, supersedeas bond fixed in sum of $10,000.
90185—Groves vs. Johnson; motion for new trial argued and overruled, supersedeas fixed at $1,500.

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384—Mingo vs. Mingo; judgment for plaintiff.
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67445—Montgomery vs. Ward & Co.; judgt. for issuance of patent.
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65803—Wilhelm Bertelemann Fritz Schuster Non Poisonous Gas Holding Co. vs. Coe; hearing for letters patent submitted.
67197—Heath vs. Heath; motion for rehearing withdrawn. Motion to reduce alimony denied.
368—Winifred B. Cohn vs. Edmund M. Cohn; hearing for limited divorce cont. to Jan. 30.

PROBATE MATTERS

Estate of William M. Phelan; will dated December 6, 1926.
Estate of Amelia M. Metz; will dated July 29, 1924.
Estate of Jacob C. Curry; will dated June 13, 1939.
Estate of William F. Gude; will dated June 4, 1930.
Estate of James A. Morris; will dated September 26, 1939.
Estate of Antonio Ferro; will dated March 9, 1937.
Estate of Kathleen E. McCreary; will dated February 3, 1939.

DIED

BAESELL, HENRY G. On Monday, January 29, 1940, HENRY G. BAESELL, husband of the late Mina Baesell, father of Norman F. and Karl Baesell. Services at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Wednesday, January 31, at 9:30 a. m. Mass at Sacred Heart Church at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

BERENS, MAUDE. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at New London, Conn., MAUDE BERENS, the beloved mother of Mrs. Marguerite Mulliner, of New London, Conn., and David Veneble, of Chicago, Ill., and sister of Mrs. Sally Shay, of Lancaster, Pa.; Mrs. Birdie Claridge and Henry Frain, of Washington, D. C. Remains resting at the Chambers Georgetown funeral home, 31st and M sts. nw. Notice of funeral later.

BIER, ROBERT L. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at his residence, 649 Massachusetts ave. ne., ROBERT L. BIER, beloved husband of Isabelle Bier and father of Mrs. Penrhyn S. Watts, Mrs. Andrew M. Pennington, Elmira Bier and Dr. Robert A. Bier. Services will be held at his late residence on Tuesday, January 30, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery (Baltimore, Md., and Columbus, Ohio, papers, please copy.)

BOVEE, VIRGINIA. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at her residence, 2753 44th st. ne., VIRGINIA BOVEE, widow of Frank M. Bovee. Services at the above residence on Wednesday, January 31, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. T. Frank Murray funeral service, 741 11th st. se.

CAMPBELL, GEORGE FRANCIS. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at his residence, 1600 North Edgewood st., Arlington, Va., GEORGE FRANCIS CAMPBELL, beloved husband of Stella G. Campbell (nee Gatewood). He is survived by one brother, Ora R. Campbell. Remains resting at the Ives funeral home, 2847 Wilson blvd., Arlington, Va., where services will be held on Tuesday, January 30, at 2 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

CAMPBELL, GEORGE FRANCIS—There will be a special meeting of the Washington Printing Pressmen Union No. 1 at the Typographical Temple, 423 G st. nw., on Tuesday, January 30, at 12:30 p. m. for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, GEORGE FRANCIS CAMPBELL.
LOUIS A. LOPEZ, President.
HARRY C. WEBB, Secretary.

DIED

CHARLES, LEONTINE EUGENIE., Suddenly on Sunday, January 28, 1940, at her residence in Glen Echo, Md., LEONTINE EUGENIE CHARLES, the beloved wife of Louis Charles and mother of Madeleine Charles and Mrs. Andree Boilot and sister of Mrs. James A. Purcell. Funeral services at the Wm. H. Sardo & Co. funeral chapel, 412 H st. ne., on Wednesday, January 31, at 9 a. m.; thence to the Church of Our Little Flower, where mass will be said at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

CLARK, ALFRED E. On Monday, January 29, 1940, at his residence, 1648 Irving st. nw., ALFRED E. CLARK, husband of the late Clara Mae Clark, father of Mrs. Evelyn M. Vogts and Earl E. Clark. Services at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Thursday, February 1, at 3 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

DAVENPORT, KATIE LEE. On Wednesday, January 24, 1940, at her residence, Miami, Fla., KATIE LEE (KITTY) DAVENPORT, beloved wife of Guilford Davenport and daughter of the late J. T. and S. A. Young. Remains resting at the George W. Wise funeral home, 2900 M st. nw., after 12 noon Monday, January 29. Funeral services at the above funeral home on Tuesday, January 30, at 11 a. m. Interment Andrews Chapel, Va.

DE BOLD, MARIE B. On Friday, January 26, 1940, MARIE B. DE BOLD, beloved wife of John T. De Bold, mother of Kenneth J. De Bold, sister of Jack F. and Edmund Stein, and Mrs. William McShaffrey. Funeral services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Wednesday, January 31, at 8:30 a. m. Mass at the Church of Assumption at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. (Pittsburgh (Pa.) papers please copy.)

DUKE, BASIL. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at Mount Alto Hospital, Capt. BASIL DUKE, of 114 Battery lane, Bethesda, beloved husband of the late Anna Duke. Funeral services at the funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, 7005 Wisconsin ave., Bethesda, Md., on Tuesday, January 30, at 11 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery. (Louisville, Ky., papers, please copy.)

FISHER, ISABELLE M. On Saturday, January 27, 1940, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. David L. Isles, 5521 Colorado ave. nw., ISABELLE M. FISHER, beloved wife of the late William Noble Fisher. Remains resting at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Harry E. Sive, 423 Oglethorpe st. nw. Funeral from the Transfiguration Episcopal Church, 14th and Gallatin sts. nw., on Tuesday, January 30, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

GIBSON, THOMAS CATLETT. On Monday, January 29, 1940, at his residence, 4315 New Hampshire ave. nw., THOMAS CATLETT GIBSON, M. D., husband of the late Sallie French Gibson, brother of Mrs. Myrtle G. Beebler, of Washington, D. C.; J. Barber Gibson, of Webb City, Mo., and Mrs. Daisy G. McClenny, of Phoenix, Ariz. Funeral services at his late residence on Wednesday, January 31, at 2:30 p. m.

HALL, SARAH T. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at her residence, 3109 44th st. nw., SARAH T. HALL (nee Thomson), wife of Samuel Prescott Hall and mother of Mrs. Donald Saunders and Samuel G. Hall. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, January 31, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

HAMILTON, JAMES HIGGINS. Suddenly, on Monday, January 29, 1940, at his residence, Mitchellville, Md., JAMES HIGGINS HAMILTON, aged 91 years, beloved husband of the late Ida Rume Hamilton. Services at St. Barnabas Church, Leland, Md., on Wednesday, January 31, at 11 a. m. Interment church cemetery.

HOLT, FONDERLINA. On Monday, January 29, 1940, at her residence, 6049 Southern ave., Capitol Heights, Md., FONDERLINA HOLT. Funeral services at the Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Wednesday, January 31, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

HUDDLE, REV. JOHN T. On Saturday, January 27, 1940, at St. Petersburg, Fla., the REV. JOHN T. HUDDLE, former pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Washington, D. C., is survived by his wife, Virginia O'Neal Huddle, and four sisters. Funeral services at St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Tuesday, January 30, at 2 p. m. Body will lie in state from 12 noon to 1:45 p. m. Dr. Henry W. Snyder will conduct the services. Interment Gettysburg, Pa.

JENNINGS, CORA LEE. On Monday, January 29, 1940, at George Washington Hospital, CORA LEE JENNINGS, the beloved wife of the late Mack A. Jennings and mother of Mack W. Jennings, Mrs. Evelyn L. Foley, Mrs. Alma V. Whitmore and Mrs. Mary A. Parker. Remains resting at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Notice of funeral later.

JONES, ANNIE. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, ANNIE JONES, beloved wife of Howson Jones. Services at the Chambers funeral home, 5117 7th st. nw., on Wednesday, January 31, at 11:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fredericksburg, Va.

LEE, BRAINARD W. On Monday, January 29, 1940, BRAINARD W. LEE, beloved husband of Della M. Lee. Remains resting at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Wednesday, January 31, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

LEWIS, WILLIAM H. On Monday, January 29, 1940, at his residence, Rectortown, Va., WILLIAM H. LEWIS, beloved husband of Alice T. Lewis and father of W. Frank and John I. Lewis, of Rectortown, Va.; Mrs. John Loughlin, of Miami, Fla., and brother of C. F. M. Lewis, of Manassas, Va., and one sister, Mrs. W. H. Demaine, of Alexandria, Va. Services at Rectortown Methodist Church on Wednesday, January 31, at 2 p. m. Interment Upperville, Va. Arrangements by the Demaine funeral home.

LONG, DON M. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at Walter Reed General Hospital, DON M. LONG, husband of Felice D. Long. Remains resting at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., until Wednesday, January 31, at 9:30 a. m. Services at 10 a. m. at Fort Myer Chapel, Fort Myer, Va. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

MALONEY, MARY CATHERINE. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at Sibley Hospital, MARY CATHERINE MALONEY, beloved wife of the late William Maloney, M. D., of 4 North Wells ave., Hyattsville, Md. She is also survived by a daughter, Mrs. Edwin Wrenn, of Kansas ave., and a son, W. W. Maloney 3d, of New York. Remains resting at Gasch's funeral home, 46 Maryland ave., Hyattsville, Md. Services at the above funeral home on Wednesday, January 31, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to St. Jerome's Catholic Church, Hyattsville, Md., where mass will be said at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

MANLY, GEORGE R. On Monday, January 29, 1940, at the Elks National home, Bedford, Va., GEORGE R. MANLY, brother of Mrs. C. J. Orem and John W. Manly. Funeral from the V. L. Speare Co., 1009 H st. nw., on Wednesday, January 31, at 1 p. m. Interment Loudon Park Cemetery, Baltimore, Md.

MILLER, J. FRANK. On Saturday, January 27, 1940, J. FRANK MILLER, beloved husband of the late Mary Ann Miller (nee Conway) and father of John F., Norman E., and Harry H. Miller and Mary J. Diers. Funeral from the W. W. Deal funeral home, 4812 Georgia ave. nw., on Tuesday, January 30, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

MOTHER BERNADINE (SARAH WHITE). On Monday, January 29, 1940, at the Ursuline Convent, MOTHER BERNADINE. Requiem mass at the Ursuline Convent, 519 4th st. nw., on Wednesday, January 31, at 10 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

NASH, EDWARD T. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at his residence, 1526 W st. se., EDWARD T. NASH, beloved husband of Martha O. Nash. Funeral from his late residence on Tuesday, January 30, at 9 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Theresa's Church, 13th and V sts. se., at 9:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

PAYNE, MARY LOUISE WATTERS. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at her residence, 3605 14th st. nw., MARY LOUISE WATTERS PAYNE, widow of Burd W. Payne and mother of Miss Mildred W. Payne, Allan W. Payne, of Washington, D. C., and Louis W. Payne, of Raleigh, N. C. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, January 31, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

PHILLIPS, MARY SHEIRY. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at Washington Sanitarium, MARY SHEIRY PHILLIPS, beloved wife of the late Thomas N. Phillips, U. S. N. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Thursday, February 1, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

PRATT, the Rev. D. BUTLER. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, the Rev. D. BUTLER PRATT, husband of Ahrota North Pratt. Remains resting at the chapel of John R. Wright, 1337 10th st. nw. Funeral services at Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, Columbia rd. near 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, January 31, at 10:30 a. m. Interment Brooklyn, N. Y.

PYLES, JOSEPHINE B. H. On Sunday, January 28, 1940, at her residence, 808 D st. se., JOSEPHINE B. H. PYLES (nee Hamilton), beloved wife of Dr. J. Chester Pyles and mother of John C. Pyles. Funeral from her late residence on Wednesday, January 31, at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited.

RICH, EDGAR A. On Monday, January 29, 1940, at his residence, 1741 Varnum st. nw., EDGAR A. RICH, beloved husband of Margaret C. Rich (nee Whelehan) and father of Edgar C. and Catherine R. Rich, Mrs. Mary Rich Murray and Mrs. Eleanor Rich Tyrrell. Funeral from the above residence on Wednesday, January 31, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to Sacred Heart Church, where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

—Deaths—

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DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia. In re application of Allynn Francis Smith for change of name. Civil Action No. 5595. Allynn Francis Smith, having filed a complaint for a judgment changing his name to Allynn Francis Hayworth and having applied to the court for an order of publication of the notice required by law in such cases, it is by the court this 27th day of January, 1940, ordered that all persons concerned show cause, if any there be, on or before the 26TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1940, why the prayers of said complaint should not be granted, provided that a copy of this order be published once a week for three consecutive weeks before said day in The Washington Post and the Washington Law Reporter. JESSE C. ADKINS, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) CHARLES E. STEWART, Clerk. By JOHN O. BOWEN, Assistant Clerk. 30.6.13

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HE'LL NEVER KNOW WHAT HAPPENED!
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I'D LOVE TO SEE YOUR FACE WHEN YOU REVIVE!
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JOE PALOOKA — Can't Wait — BY HAM FISHER

YOUSE DIRTY RAT!
THE COPS ARE COMING MR. PALOOKA. WHO IS HE--WHAT WAS IT?
I'M TAKIN' HIM T'SOUTH BEND.
BUT THE COPS'LL BE HERE. WE JUST PHONED. AND YOU'RE ALL CUT UP. BETTER LET US--
THAN K'; YOUSE---I AINT GOT TIME-- GIT IN THERE!!
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WINNIE WINKLE — Objection Overruled — BY BRANNER

MAY I PRESENT COUNT DI CHIANTI! COUNT, THIS IS MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM WRIGHT!
I AM VERY HAPPY TO MEET THE ARTEESTS!
OH, I'M DELIGHTED, COUNT!
I SEE DON IS STILL OUT OF TOWN ON THAT IMPORTANT BUSINESS OF HIS!
I'D FEEL FLATTERED IF YOU WORRIED AS MUCH ABOUT ME AS YOU DO ABOUT DONALD DERRY!
I'M NOT WORRYING ABOUT DON! IT'S JUST THAT I HAD A SNEAKING SUSPICION THAT----
THAT WHAT?
WELL-ER-THAT PERHAPS DON OBJECTED TO YOUR DANCING SO MUCH WITH ME!
THAT'S ABSURD! DON HAS NO RIGHT TO OBJECT TO ANYTHING I DO!
1-30-40

MR. AND MRS. — Home-Made Millinery — BY ARTHUR FOLWELL AND ELLISON HOOVER

OHO! SO, YOU'RE WEARING ONE OF 'EM, TOO! HOW MUCH DID IT COST?
WAIT A SECOND. BET I CAN MAKE ONE AS GOOD AS YOURS AND A LOT CHEAPER
THERE! HOW'S THAT? FIFTEEN CENTS AT THE OUTSIDE!
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JOE GREEN! YOU TAKE THAT COFFEE RING RIGHT OFF YOUR HEAD! AND THAT CLEAN KITCHEN TOWEL, TOO!

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — BY CLIFFORD McBRIDE

NED BRANT—A Story of College Athletics — BY BOB ZUPPKE

THIS STORY WILL KNOCK 'EM DEAD, GAIL!
1-30
OUT WITH IT, BUD, BEFORE THE SUSPENSE PROVES FATAL!
NED'S GOING TO MAKE AN EXHIBITION PARACHUTE JUMP!
YOU MEAN NED BRANT?
I CERTAINLY DO--AREN'T YOU, NED?
WHY-ER-Y-YES--I SUPPOSE SO--SURE--YEAH!
YOU SURE MADE A MESS OF THINGS, BUD--I NEVER HAD A PARACHUTE ON IN MY LIFE!
LEAVE EVERYTHING TO ME, PAL--YOU WON'T HAVE TO JUMP

Private Lives

By Edwin Cox

YOICKS! WIFE OF ENGLAND'S FAMED FIRST LORD OF THE ADMIRALTY, **MRS. WINSTON CHURCHILL** HAS A **PET FOX CUB** THAT FOLLOWS HER ABOUT LIKE A PUPPY.

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Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn.

A. M. E. wishes to know if six spades can be won on this hand, with East, the declarer, misguessing the diamond finesse. The heart ten was opened.

	♠ J 5 ♡ J 6 2 ◇ Q 10 5 3 ♣ Q J 8 4	
♠ Q 10 2 ♡ 5 ◇ K J 8 7 4 2 ♣ K 5 3	NORTH WEST EAST SOUTH	♠ A K 7 6 3 ♡ A K Q 8 ◇ 6 ♣ A 9 2
	♠ 9 8 4 ♡ 10 9 7 4 3 ◇ A 9 ♣ 10 7 6	

A. M. E. says of the play: "In the particular game at which the hand was dealt, declarer led a small diamond, South ducked, and North took dummy's jack with the queen. Can the hand now be made, provided South protects his heart nine? North after taking the diamond queen led the club queen."

It appears to us that six spades can be made against any defense, even though declarer misses the diamond finesse, provided a club is not opened.

Declarer takes the diamond finesse of the jack and loses (there would be no problem, of course, if he guessed correctly and put up the diamond king). He wins the return lead of the queen of clubs with the ace. He enters dummy by ruffing the losing heart, returns a low diamond and ruffs out the ace. He now plays trumps, ending in his hand, and the king of clubs offers the necessary entry to discard the losing deuce of clubs on the established king of diamonds.

Ship Movements

AT NEW YORK

Arrived Yesterday

Drottningholm, from Gothenburg.
Zaandam, from Rotterdam.

Arrive Today

No arrivals scheduled.

Arrive Tomorrow

No arrivals scheduled.

Sailing Today

Edam, for Rotterdam.
Examiner, for Tangier.

Sailing Tomorrow

Svaneholm, for Gothenburg.

Today's Radio Highlights

Mr. and Mrs. Hollywood Come to Washington: A group of the visiting film galaxy in town for the benefit of the President's Birthday Fund for the Prevention of Infantile Paralysis are received by Commissioner Hazen at the District Building—WOL and WMAL, 11:30 a. m.

Mrs. Agnes E. Meyer is one of the newspaper women honored in "Ladies of the Press." This story of women in journalism is a dramatization of the Gallant American Women series—WMAL, 2 p. m.

From the District's official reception to the visiting film stars at the Willard—WMAL, WJSV, WOL and WRC, 6:15 p. m.

"Shall Student America Concern Itself With Politics?" John D. M. Hamilton answers this question before the Institute of Public Affairs at Missouri's Westminster College—WOL, 7:30 p. m.

Edward G. Robinson and Ona Munson bring their Big Town to our town—WJSV, 8 p. m.

Russel Crouse, who co-authored the play "Life With Father," and Representative T. V. Smith join the Information Please barrage—WMAL, 8:30 p. m.

Colonel Hubert Fauntleroy Julian, the Black Eagle of Harlem, and Jane Darwell, whose performance as Ma Joad in "The Grapes of Wrath," has won critical praise, are this week's We, the People—WJSV, 9 p. m.

President Roosevelt acknowledges the Nation's salute to his birthday benefit for the fund to combat infantile paralysis. The Chief Executive will speak from the White House in the course of a special hour's program linking the celebration in various key cities—WJSV, WMAL, WOL and WRC, 11:15 p. m.

Tuesday, January 30 — Washington — Eastern Standard Time

	WMAL 476M-630KC	WRC 316M-950KC	WOL 229M-1,230KC	WJSV 206M-1,460KC	
6:00		Gordon Hit'mark			6:00
6:15		" "		Arthur Godfrey	6:15
6:30	Today's Prelude	" "	Art Brown	" "	6:30
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7:15	Prelude; News	" "	" "	" "	7:15
7:30	STATION PDS	" "	Walter Compton	News & Godfrey	7:30
7:45	PRESENTS	" "	Art Brown	Arthur Godfrey	7:45
8:00	News; PDS	News; Hittenmark	" "	T'day in Europe	8:00
8:15	Presents	Gordon Hit'mark	" "	Arthur Godfrey	8:15
8:30	Earl Godwin	" "	Walter Compton	Magic Carpet	8:30
8:45	On the Mall	" "	Art Brown	Store News	8:45
9:00	News; B. Club	News; M'y Mason	" "	Wom. Courage	9:00
9:15	The	Mary Mason	Mrs. Northcross	School of	9:15
9:30	Breakfast	" "	Morning Concert	The Air	9:30
9:45	Club	Edw. MacHugh	Walter Compton	Bach. Children	9:45
10:00	Wildwood Ch.	Man I Married	Successful Living	Kitty Kelly	10:00
10:15	Day Is Ours	John's Other Wife	Traffic Court	Myrt & Marge	10:15
10:30	Mary Marlin	Just Plain Bill	Keep Fit	Hilltop House	10:30
10:45	Novelettes	Woman in White	Choir Loft	Stepmother	10:45
11:00	European News	David Harum	Hits and Bits	M. L. Taylor	11:00
11:15	Dr. Malone	Road of Life	Milton Kaye	Life Begins	11:15
11:30	Film Stars	Against the Storm	Film Stars	Big Sister	11:30
11:45	The Doctor Says	Guiding Light	E. Butterfield	Aunt Jenny	11:45
	AFTERNOON PROGRAMS				
12:00	Mile o' Dimes	News	Luncheon Music	Kate Smith	12:00
12:15	Phil Brito	Dinning Sisters	Walter Compton	Girl Marries	12:15
12:30	National	Devotions	String Orchestra	Helen Trent	12:30
12:45	Farm and	Melodiana	The Carters	Gal Sunday	12:45
1:00	Home Hour	Briscoe's Orch.	The Happy Gang	Goldbergs	1:00
1:15	Southernaires	Ellen Randolph	" " "	Reporter	1:15
1:30	Melody Time	Some Like	Tony Wakeman	Right to Happ.	1:30
1:45	European News	It Old	" "	Road of Life	1:45
2:00	Gallant Ameri-	Betty and Bob	" "	Lanny Ross	2:00
2:15	can Women	Grimm's Daughter	" "	Joyce Jordan	2:15
2:30	Army Band	Valiant Lady	" "	Your Family	2:30
2:45	" "	Church Hymns	" "	My Son and I	2:45
3:00	Divorce Orphans	Mary Marlin	Walter Compton	Society Girl	3:00
3:15	Chase Twins	Ma Perkins	Tony Wakeman	Mank'n Minuet	3:15
3:30	Anthony's Aff.	Pepper Young	" "	News; Dances	3:30
3:45	Bookends	Vic and Sade	" "	Food for Th'ght	3:45
4:00	Club Matinee	Backstage Wife	" "	Elinor Lee	4:00
4:15	" "	Stella Dallas	" "	Stars' Recept'n	4:15
4:30	" "	Lorenzo Jones	" "	Alice Blair	4:30
4:45	News	Widow Brown	" "	Take Up Time	4:45
5:00	It's Five	Girl Alone	Meet Miss Julia	By Kath. Norris	5:00
5:15	O'clock	Midstream	Johnson Family	Tonic Tunes	5:15
5:30	Bud Barton	Jack Armstrong	Jimmy Allen	In Hollywood	5:30
5:45	Tom Mix	The O'Neills	Orphan Annie	Baines	5:45
	EVENING PROGRAMS				
6:00	Sports Review	News; Streamliner	Sports Resume	News; E. C. Hill	6:00
6:15	Film Stars	Film Stars	Film Stars	Film Stars	6:15
6:30	Radio Varieties	Bankhage	Walter Compton	Life Beautiful	6:30
6:45	Lowell Thomas	Streamliner	Syncopation	T'day in Europe	6:45
7:00	Easy Aces	Fred Waring	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	Amos 'n' Andy	7:00
7:15	Mr. Keen	I Love a Mystery	Syncopation	Jimmy Fidler	7:15
7:30	Magnolia	Melody Cameos	J. D. M. Hamilton	Helen	7:30
7:45	Blossoms	Little Brown Book	Gypsy Caravan	Meaken	7:45
8:00	The Aldrich	Johnny	Ned Jordan,	Big Town	8:00
8:15	Family	Presents	Secret Agent	" "	8:15
8:30	Information	Pot of Gold	Morton Gould's	Court of Miss.	8:30
8:45	Please	" " "	Orchestra	Heirs; News	8:45
9:00	Cavalcade of	Battle of	News	We, the	9:00
9:15	America	the Sexes	Victor Lasinchi	People	9:15
9:30	European News	Fibber McGee	Mozart Concertos	Bob Sylvester	9:30
9:45	Hockey Game	and Molly	" "	Time	9:45
10:00	Riverside St.	Bob Hope	Lee Concerto	Miller's Orch.	10:00
10:15	Washington	" "	Symphoniques	Amer. Music	10:15
10:30	Eagles	Uncle Walter's	News	Master Works	10:30
10:45	Ice Hockey	Dog House	Symphoniques	On the Air	10:45
11:00	News	News and Sports	McLean's Orch.	Paul Sullivan	11:00
11:15	President	President	President	President	11:15
11:30	Roosevelt	Roosevelt:	Roosevelt:	Roosevelt	11:30
11:45	Birthday Talk	Birthday Talk	Birthday Talk	Birthday Talk	11:45

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Surfeit
8 Malaysian vessel
9 Slay
14 Pulled
15 Attend
16 Excel
17 Dessert
18 Vagabond
20 Stringcourse
22 Toll
23 Villein
24 Derisive cries
26 Mahometan festival
28 Light carriages
31 Successive
36 Rumanian coin
37 Mere taste
39 Goat
40 Mishaps
42 Blemishes
44 Commotion
45 Balances
47 South African sheepfold
49 Mottled streak in mahogany
50 Closed chairs
52 Images
54 Bovine ruminant
56 Shafts of a column
57 The main point
61 Greek letter
63 Gained
66 Opera conductors
69 Dutch commune
70 English nobleman
71 Brick furnace
72 The maples
73 Fresh water tortoises
74 March 15th
75 Peduncle

DOWN.

1 Natty
2 Poisonous weed
3 Examined thoroughly
4 Pronoun
5 Illusions
6 Textile fabric
7 Kiln
8 Reliquaries
9 Mountain pass
10 System
11 Genus of bustards
12 Telephotographic lens
13 Harmonize
18 Exterminates.
19 Hewing tools
21 Female kangaroo
25 A hurried meal
27 Lair
28 Urges with persistency
29 Ax handle
30 Intimidate
32 Ethiopian vizier
33 Look into
34 Negative ion
35 Musical instruments
38 Venomous snake
41 The nahoor
43 Flatirons
46 Downward bend in timber
48 Booths
51 Wisconsin Indians
53 Meadow
55 Light drab color
57 Mock
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59 Agile
60 Stepped on
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64 Fencing sword
65 True skin
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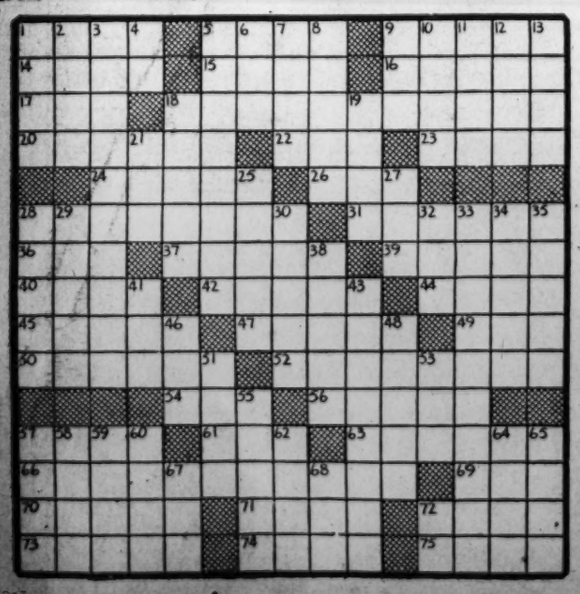

Solution to Yesterday's Puzzle

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Listen!

with Slocum

The Hollywood moguls are responsible for full many a sin but their greatest bit of blasphemy and inaccuracy is the moving picture version of a newspaperman. The cinema directors, to a man, have painted their working journalists as unkempts sots, befuddled by alcohol and in need of at least one shave.

I can tell you of one fine newspaperman who looks like a prosperous and meticulous banker. I can tell you of another who bears a great resemblance to a gigolo. And a third who looks like the leading man in a troupe of Singer's Midgets. They are respectively my father, my brother, and my cousin.

And still another crack journalist, who while he has not the good fortune to be related to me, is still one of the Nation's best reporters, looks like a professor of Greek and has never been seen unshaven or without a press in his pants.

He is Albert Warner, a 37-year-old veteran of the Press Club and one of Washington's better news collectors. Warner recently abandoned the newspaper business to take a flyer at radio and at the current moment is doing a little better than all right.

He is the Columbia network's Washington correspondent, charged with the job of covering the Nation's Capital and reporting it to the entire country in painfully brief broadcasts every evening. Radio now is at the stage newspapers were 30 years ago, when the competition for "beats" or "scoops" was slightly on the bloodcurdling side. The box scores show that CBS's Mr. Warner is doing a good deal better than fair in that league.

A quiet, dignified gentleman, Al's birthplace is Brooklyn, and legend has all citizens of Brooklyn masters of the "dese" and dem" lingo attributed to all New Yorkers. Al defies that legend as neatly as he ignores the movie newspaperman canard. In fact, and let this be a lesson to Hollywood, Al is a Phi Beta Kappa.

NUTS AND JOLTS

THE DRAGON'S TEETH
By ELLERY QUEEN

Chapter 17

BUT KERRIE did not see him. She was still blind from the brilliance of those three red flashes slashing over her head into the throat and eye and cheek of Margo. Blind, deaf, stunned with the three sounds of a world tumbling.

"She's dead," Kerrie said in a clear voice. "Margo's dead. Her eye is dead. Bloon on her neck. She has one eye. See how funny she looks. See how funny—"

Beau stood in the doorway trying to speak.

"One moment she was alive Then she was dead. She died over my head. I heard her gurgle her life away. I heard her die behind me." Kerrie began to laugh.

Beau stumbled in. "Kerrie!"

He dropped beside her. He could think of nothing to do but put his arms about her and press her face against his chest. He couldn't bear to look at her face. It was white, fixed, a plaster-of-Paris mask made by a crude workman. Her eyes were shiny with something not fear, not panic, not horror; something inscrutable and dead, like the eyes of a wax-works figure

At his touch she stopped laughing. "She came to laugh at me. Said you and she had planned the whole thing. Our elopement. Marriage. She said you told her where you were taking me. That's how she knew where to find me. Your plan. You didn't love me, she said. You loved her, she said. This was your scheme to get hold of the money Uncle Cadmus left me. To share it with her. The two of you . . ."

"Kerrie, stop."

"She began to talk about the attacks. She admitted she had made them. She and some one else—"

"Some one else!" muttered Beau. "Who?"

"She didn't get a chance to tell me. She began to. But then the three shots from the window . . ."

The window. Beau got to his feet, walked stiff-legged to the window by the armchair. Open. The blind blowing. Kerrie in the chair, Margo standing behind the chair—direct line of fire—in the throat, the eye . . . Revolver.

"Revolver," he said hoarsely. "What happened?"

"It's mine," said Kerrie, as in a dream. "Mine. I bought it. When you—warned me to be careful. It was stolen from the pocket of my car. Must have been some time yesterday, because I missed it when I was locked in the garage."

"Yours!" Beau took a forward step, and stopped. "But if it was stolen——"

She looked up at him in a dumb way. "Hand. Or fingers. Threw it from that window. In here. Right after the shots." She looked down at her own hand in the same way, the hand which still gripped the pearl-handled .22.

Beau jumped at her. Her head flapped on her shoulders as he shook her.

"Don't you see?" he cried. "It's a frame-up! Some one shot her and is trying to frame you with the gun! Get up! We're getting out of here."

"What?" She didn't understand. She was trying to, her face twisted with the effort.

He lifted her to her feet, slapped her cheeks hard. "Kerrie! For God's sake get a grip on yourself! I've got to get you out of here before——"

"Stand still."

Beau stood still. Kerrie limp in his arms, the revolver dangling from her fingers.

Hadn't even taken the gun out of her hand. Couldn't do anything now. Her gun-hand was in full view of the doorway. You dope. You damned dope. Hadn't even shut the door.

"I've got you covered."

THEY WERE blocking the doorway. One was the hotel manager—Beau recognized him by the tuxedo, the aster and the half-moon sacs under his eyes. Suspicious looking guy. Husky. The other was the house dick. Big boy with an iron hat and a .38 in his fist.

No dice. Think of something else. The windows . . . 17 floors from the street. Escape. Screwy idea, anyway. They were registered.

Think. You've been a prize poop so far. Think this through.

The house detective came in on a straight line, his eyes on the revolver in Kerrie's hand. His right hand trained the cannon on them, his left went into his pocket and came out with a handkerchief.

He knew his business. He didn't try to take the gun from her himself.

"Drop that heater."

Kerrie looked blank.

"Drop it," said Beau in her ear. "The gun."

"Oh." She dropped it.

"You. Big guy." The detective shifted his eyes from Kerrie's hand to Beau's hands now. "Just push it with your toe. Gentle, Mister. In my direction.

Beau pushed it. It slid 3 feet across the rug and stopped by the detective's large feet. He stooped without looking at it and spread the handkerchief over it, fumbling.

Beau whispered in Kerrie's ear: "Kerrie, you listening?"

Her head against his breast stirred slightly. She held on to him.

"I'm going to make a break for it. Understand?"

Her arms tightened about him in a convulsive rebellion.

"Say nothing. Not a syllable. Whatever they ask you, say you don't know. The cops'll be here in a few minutes. But you don't know anything till I come back and say it's all right to talk. Savvy?"

He felt her head wag over his heart, faintly.

"What you two whisperin' about?" demanded the detective. He was on his feet again, the .22 swathed in his handkerchief.

"Is it all right to move now, Commissioner?" asked Beau. "I'm getting stiff standing still like this."

"Come here. Leggo the dame. Hold your hands up." Shrugging, Beau obeyed. Kerrie stumbled over to the armchair and fell into it. The hotel manager moved over quickly and shut the window beside her; he stood there looking down at her.

The house detective slapped Beau all over, grunted. "Okay. Stand over there and be a good boy."

He dropped to his knees beside Margo's body and put his ear to her chest. "I guess she's dead, Mr. O'Brien. You better phone police headquarters while I—"

The door to the hall slammed. Both men whirled. Beau was gone.

The detective cursed and leaped for the door, while the manager put his hands on Kerrie's shoulders and held her down with all his strength, as if he expected her to try to escape, too.

"Please," said Kerrie. "You're hurting me."

The manager looked abashed. He grabbed the telephone and shouted a description of Beau to the hotel operator.

"Don't let that man get out of the hotel!"

Kerrie hugged herself. She felt cold and hungry.

BEAU TOOK the emergency stairway four steps at a stride, going up. They would expect him to go down.

He scaled his hat into a corner of the twentieth floor landing and slipped into the main corridor. No one in sight. He walked over to the nearest elevator and pressed the Down button. The operators coming down couldn't have heard the alarm.

An elevator stopped, and he got in. There were three passengers in the car, looking sleepy. The operator paid no attention to him.

He got off at the mezzanine floor. From the balcony he could see the lobby seething. The house detective was down there yelling to a patrolman. The cop looked startled and ran out into the street.

Beau slipped into a telephone booth and dialed a number.

"Yes?" said a sleepy voice.

"Ellery! This is Beau."

"Well?" Mr. Queen's voice became alert.

"Can't talk. I'm at the Villanoy, with the whole hotel on my tail."

"Why? What's the trouble?"

"Murder——"

"Murder!"

"Margo's been shot to death."

"Margo?" Mr. Queen was speechless, but only for an instant. "But how did she—— Who shot her?"

"Don't know." Tersely Beau recounted the story of the evening, and how he had found Kerrie, and what Kerrie had told him before they were interrupted by the manager and the detective.

Mr. Queen muttered: "Where's Kerrie now?"

"Upstairs in 1724. In a daze. El, you've got to come over."

"Of course."

"Nobody knows about that other room except you, Kerrie, me, and the killer. And I told Kerrie to keep her mouth shut. We've got to search that room before the cops!"

"What's the number of the room?"

"It's just around the corner of 1724, in the transverse corridor. I think it's 1726. Can you get into the hotel without being collared?"

"I'll try."

"Step on it. I think they are searching the mezzanine now——"

"How are you and Kerrie registered?"

"As Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Queen."

Mr. Queen the First groaned. "Do you realize that an old gent by the name of Queen is going to have to take charge of this homicide?"

"My God," said Beau. He hung up slowly.

After a moment he stepped out of the booth and strolled over to the marble railing, lighting a cigarette. The house detective and the patrolman Beau had seen dart out of the lobby were hurrying from writing desk to writing desk, scanning the startled features of the correspondents. They were on the opposite side of the mezzanine.

Beau sauntered towards them and said: "Can I be of service, gentlemen?"

The detective's heavy jaw dropped. He screeched: "That's him, Fogarty!" and the two men jumped on Beau.

He stiff-armed the policeman and caught the houseman's gun-hand at the wrist. "Why the rough stuff? I gave myself up, didn't I?"

THEY LOOKED baffled. A crowd had collected and Beau stood there grinning at them in an apologetic way.

"All right, wise guy," panted the detective, shaking his hand free. "What was the idea of lamming?"

"Who, me?" said Beau. "Come on, boys. We musn't keep the lady waiting."

"Who're you? What's your name?"

"Queen. Ellery Queen. Want to make something of it?"

"Queen!" The policeman gaped at him. "Did you say Ellery Queen?"

"That's the ticket, Officer."

Fogarty looked awed. "Sam, you know who this is? Son of Inspector Queen of the Homicide Squad!"

"Mistakes will happen, boys," said Beau grandly. "And now, shall we return to the scene of the crime?"

"Inspector Queen's your old man?" demanded Sam.

"You heard Fogarty."

"Well, I don't give a damn," said Sam doggedly. "Fogarty, this is the guy who was in 1724 with the dame when O'Brien and me busted in. She was holdin' the rod, but how do we know he ain't a, now, accomplice?"

"Inspector Queen will identify me," said Beau.

"Suppose he does? Suppose he does?" said the house detective hotly. "I don't care who you are, Mister; you were caught in that room——"

"What's the argument about?" asked Beau. "Sam, you're making a spectacle of yourself. Wow, look at those laws pour in! Come on upstairs before the press gives you the razz. Are you coming, or do I have to go up alone?"

"Don't worry," said Sam, taking a fresh grip on his .38. "I'm with you, baby."

They took a special elevator up to the seventeenth floor. Outside Room 1724 a policeman held back a crowd of pushing people. Inside, there were two radio-car officers and a detective from the West Forty-seventh Street precinct. They were all asking questions at the same time.

Kerrie was still seated in the armchair, in the same position.

"This him?" said the precinct man.

"Yeah," said Sam. "In person."

"Well, the girl gives him an out. She says he wasn't even here when the shots were fired. He came in right after."

"Kerrie," growled Beau. She had answered questions. He had told her not to.

She glanced at him in a calm, remote way.

"She admit givin' the other dame the business?" asked Sam eagerly.

"She don't admit nothin'."

Beau shook his head warningly at Kerrie. She placed her hands, palms up, in her lap and stared out the window.

"Lucky stiff," said Sam to Beau with a scowl.

"Yeah," said Beau, looking steadily at Kerrie's profile. "Am I lucky."

WHEN THE CALL came from Center Street, Inspector Richard Queen was in Doc Prouty's office playing a hot game of two-handed klabiatsch with Sergeant Velie He was waiting for the Medical Examiner's autopsy report on Hunk Carnucci, the nation-wide search for whom had ended that very evening at the bottom of the East River.

"What?" said the Inspector to the telephone; and Sergeant Velie saw his superior's gray mustache quiver and his little bird-like face blanch. "Yes. Yes. All right. Now listen. No reporter gets into that room, see? Grab the registration card, too. I'll have your scalp if there's a leak . . . Right away!"

He hung up, looking ill.

"What's the matter?" asked the Sergeant.

"Plenty." Inspector Queen rose. "A woman's been knocked off at the Villanoy."

The Sergeant looked puzzled. "So what?"

In the squad car, rushing towards Times Square with the siren screaming the Inspector told him so what.

(To Be Continued.)

Grin and Bear It

By Lichty

"We hope our work is okay, lady—an' we'd appreciate it if you'd recommend us to yer friends!"

HOLLYWOOD HUSBAND

By JEFFERSON MACHAMER

WHY SHOULD A SCREEN TEST TAKE SO LONG? THEY'RE NOT THAT IMPORTANT!
DON'T LIKE AT BUTTON! IT DON'T TICKLE THERE
-AND THANK YOU LOTS 'N' LOTS FOR PUTTING MUMMY IN THE MOVIES WITH DONALD DUCK 'N' SHIRLEY TEMPLE - AMEN-
WHY'D THAT TALENT SCOUT HAFTA SEE HER IN THE PARK!?
WHY DOESN'T SHE PHONE, 'TLEAST!?
GOLLY I LOVE HER!
ANYWAY - HARDLY ANYBODY EVER PASSES A MOVIE TEST!
THERE SHE IS!!
DARLING! -THEY SAID I WAS A CINCH!
WHAT'S 'AT STUFF ALL OVER YOUR FACE 'N' EYES 'N' MOUTH!?

TERRY AND THE PIRATES — Orson Ryan — BY MILTON CANIFF

HERE'S MY HUNCH, BLAZE.... SINGH-SINGH IS GOING TO BE PLENTY BURNED UP AT BOTH OF US...
RIGHT'O, LAD, HI'LL WAGER 'IS MUSTACHE IS CURLIN' FROM TH' 'EAT THIS VERY MINUTE!
HIS MOB IS CAMPED ON THOSE HILLS... IF WE CAN PLANT LOUD-SPEAKERS NEAR THEIR TENTS, WE MAY BE ABLE TO FRIGHTEN THEM AWAY BY NOISES WE BROADCAST THROUGH YOUR MICROPHONE!
LIKE THE SOUND EFFECTS ON TH' RADIO...
THAT'S RIGHT, KITTEN, WE CAN MAKE THEM THINK THEY'RE BEING ATTACKED BY A TREMENDOUS FORCE... WITH BOMBING PLANES, MACHINE GUNS, AND SO ON...
OH, I READ IN A HONGKONG PAPER 'BOUT A MAN WHO DID THAT ON A PROGRAM BACK HOME... BUT WHAT IF IT FAILS?
...THEN I GUESS WE'LL HAVE TO GO BACK TO MARS!
?

BIG CHIEF WAHOO — BY SAUNDERS AND WOGGON

VON BROOT AND DR. PUTZI ARE GETTING INTO A CAR WITH LUCKY! PLEASE STOP THEM! PLEASE BELIEVE WHAT I TOLD YOU! THAT CHILD IS THE CROWN PRINCE OF SYLVANIA!
NOW, NOW! SIT DOWN AND COMPOSE YOURSELF!
HERE, MISS! — LOOK AT THE PICTURES IN THIS MOVIE MAGAZINE!
IF I COULD ONLY MAKE YOU BELIEVE ME — BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE!
THERE! AREN'T THOSE PRETTY PICTURES, MISS?
!
SCREEN STORY
WAIT! NURSE! CALL THE SUPERINTENDENT BACK! I MUST SEE HIM!!

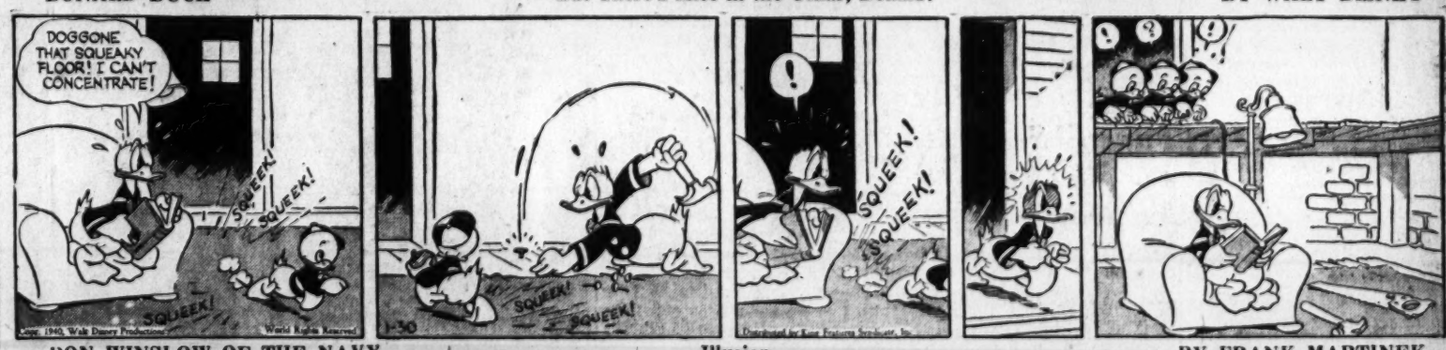
MICKEY FINN — A Phoney! — BY LANK LEONARD

I WAS RIGHT, MOLLIE! THEY'RE IDENTICAL PICTURES! WHAT A BREAK FOR US!
YOU'RE NOT REALLY GONNA TRY TO MAKE THIS OIL MILLIONAIRE THINK YOU'RE HIS SON, ARE YOU, CULLY?
YOU BET I AM! -AND WITH THIS PICTURE TO BACK UP MY CLAIM, IT'LL BE A CINCH!
WHAT'D'YA MEAN, A CINCH? WHAT'LL THAT PICTURE PROVE?
LISTEN, STUPID! THIS IS GONNA BE A PICTURE OF MY MOTHER! AND I'LL DOPE UP A STORY THAT'LL CONVINCE ANYBODY I'M THE GUY!
BUT IT SAYS HERE THAT HIS SON HAS A CRESCENT-SHAPED MOLE ON HIS BACK! -HOW ARE YOU GONNA GET AROUND THAT?
EASY! I'VE GOT THAT ALL FIGURED OUT, TOO!

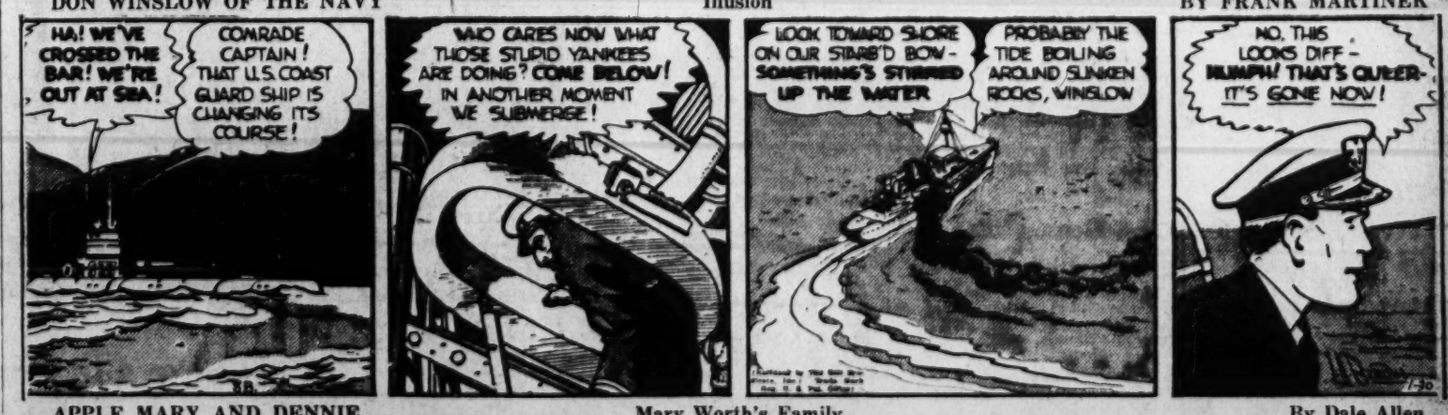
DIXIE DUGAN — Be It Ever So Humble — BY J. P. McEVOY AND H. J. STRIEBEL

AS YOUR MANAGER, NATURALLY I'VE A RIGHT TO KNOW WHERE YOU'RE GOING
YVONNE IS TAKING ME TO THE SNOOT CLUB TO MEET SOME FRIENDS
I'M NOT IN FAVOR OF HIS "NIGHT-CLUBBING", MISS ELPUS — ESPECIALLY WHEN HE'S IN TRAINING
REALLY??
I SUPPOSE YOU'D RATHER HAVE HIM STAY HERE AT HOME??
WHY NOT?
DON'T YOU THINK HE SHOULD BE SEEN IN THE BEST PLACES?
GULP!

DONALD DUCK — —But There's Mice in the Cellar, Donald! — BY WALT DISNEY



DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — Illusion — BY FRANK MARTINEK


HA! WE'VE CROSSED THE BAR! WE'RE OUT AT SEA!
COMRADE CAPTAIN! THAT U.S. COAST GUARD SHIP IS CHANGING ITS COURSE!
WHO CARES NOW WHAT THOSE STUPID YANKEES ARE DOING? COME BELOW! IN ANOTHER MOMENT WE SUBMERGE!
LOOK TOWARD SHORE ON OUR STARB'D BOW - SOMETHING'S STIRRED UP THE WATER
PROBABLY THE TIDE BOILING AROUND SUNKEN ROCKS, WINSLOW
NO, THIS LOOKS DIFF - HUMPH! THAT'S QUEER - IT'S GONE NOW!

APPLE MARY AND DENNIE — Mary Worth's Family — By Dale Allen

LEONA! I HATED TO WAKE YOU SO EARLY, BUT - HERE'S SOMETHING YOU OUGHT TO SEE!
WAIT TILL I GET MY EYES PRIED OPEN, AUNT MARY!
I WAS GLANCING OVER THE PAPER, AND YOUR NAME POPPED OUT AT ME! THERE - IN THAT GOSSIP COLUMN!
OH!
DAILY TIMES - JAN.
MILT LEWIS COVERS BROADWAY!!
LEONA STOCKPOOL, EX-GLAMOR GIRL NO!, OF CAFE SOCIETY, WHO VANISHED FROM THE BIG STEM WHEN THE FAMILY FORTUNE MELTED, IS IN THE SPOTLIGHT AGAIN - BUT AS A WOINING GOIL! SHE'S LEONA "SMITH" SECOND FROM THE END, IN THE CLUB BUCCANEER CHORUS!
SAM LUPEEN DID THIS!... TO GET PUBLICITY! NEVER MIND ABOUT MY BREAKFAST! I'VE GOT ANOTHER EGG TO FRY!

Father Parsons Hails Choice of Envoy to Pope

Move Is Historically Important, G. U. Dean Tells Hospital Board

Father Wilfred Parsons, S. J., dean of the Graduate School of Georgetown University, yesterday hailed the recent appointment of Myron C. Taylor as special envoy to the Vatican as "one of the most important incidents in American history . . . in our time."

He spoke before members of the Georgetown University Hospital auxiliary board and their friends at the hospital on "The Pope, the President, and the Peace."

Once Had Vatican Envoy

He pointed out that the United States had an envoy to the Pope until 1868. "The question is not why the President did appoint an envoy, but why it was not done before," he said.

Mr. Taylor discussed his new duties yesterday with Secretary Hull. He is expected to sail for Italy next month and will have the rank of ambassador.

Taylor was a luncheon guest of the President after his talk with Hull, who had just returned to his office after a week's confinement with a cold.

There can be no possibility of a concordat between this country and the Vatican because "within the Constitution are all those powers of freedom of the press, education and religion" which the Popes of Rome have had great difficulty in obtaining from many countries with which concordats have been signed," Father Parsons said.

A Hope For Peace

Stating that the United States as a government has no hope of bringing about peace in Europe at the present time "because it has no subjects in Europe," Father Parsons said that the Pope might bring about peace "because he has subjects in all the warring countries."

He said that with the annexation of Austria, Czecho-Slovakia and Poland to the German empire, the number of Catholics in greater Germany represents more than half of the total population.

Legionnaires Plan Benefit for Blood Bank

Post Staff Photo

For the benefit of the blood bank at Children's Hospital, the Cooley McCullough Post, American Legion, will give a card party and stage a floor show at the Annapolis Hotel, February 15, at 8 o'clock. Front (left to right)—Mrs. Leda Walsh, community service chairman; Mrs. Edith Warren Quinn, president of the Cooley McCullough auxiliary. Rear (left to right)—Charles Kohen, post commander; Tiny Meeker, entertainer, and Harry Weissinger, manager of the Annapolis Hotel

Man Olson Slated For Purge Elected Speaker on Coast

Sacramento, Calif., Jan. 29 (AP).—The Democratic administration of Gov. Olson, at the opening of a special session of the Legislature today, lost the speakership and control of the Assembly to a Republican-Democratic coalition.

By a vote of 43 to 33 the bipartisan bloc elected Gordon Garland, anti-administration Democrat, to the speakership. He had been named for a "purge" by Gov. Olson in a radio talk. As a gesture of defiance he turned to the telephone on the speakers' desk which connected with the Governor's office and tore it out.

Maj. F. C. Simpson Dies in Hawaii; Twice Served Here

Maj. French C. Simpson, Quartermaster Corps, U. S. A., died Saturday at Fort Shafter, Hawaii, the War Department announced yesterday.

A native of Alexandria, Maj. Simpson, 52, attended Georgetown University here, graduating from the law school in 1910. He entered the Army in the World War as a second lieutenant and rose to major before the Armistice.

In 1920 he accepted an appointment as a captain in the Regular Army and was promoted to major four years ago. He served here in the Office of the Quartermaster General from 1917 to 1922, and again from 1935 until April of last year.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Louise B. Simpson, of Fort Shafter, and his mother, Mrs. Virginia Simpson, of 102 North Washington street, Alexandria.

Funeral Is Held For James Mills

The funeral of James Samuel Mills, 92, farmer, who died at his home near Gaithersburg following a paralytic stroke last week, was held yesterday from his home. The services were conducted by the Rev. Claude A. Brubaker, pastor of the Baptist Church at Travilah, and burial was in Forest Oak Cemetery, Gaithersburg, Md.

Mr. Mills was a native of Frederick County, but a resident of Montgomery County most of his life. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Sarah Alice Mills; six sons, Eugene and Robert, of near Gaithersburg; Howard P. and Lawrence G., of Quince Orchard, Md.; James, of Baltimore, and Luther, of Travilah, and three daughters by a former marriage, Mrs. Garrett Cooley, Clarkesburg, Md.; Mrs. Rhoda Cooley, Cabin John, Md., and Mrs. Rebecca Ross, Takoma Park.

Pratt Funeral Services to Be Held Tomorrow

Funeral services for the Rev. D. Butler Pratt, former dean of the Howard University School of Religion, who died Saturday, will be held at 10:30 a. m. tomorrow at Mount Pleasant Congregational Church. Burial will be in Brooklyn, N. Y.

A native of Dudley, Mass., the Rev. Mr. Pratt was educated at Williams College. He came to this city to join the Howard staff after holding pastorates in Brooklyn and Springfield, Mass. He was dean of the School of Religion from 1917 until his retirement in 1934.

In recent years the Rev. Mr. Pratt made his home at 1245 Crittenden street northwest.

D. C. Man's Father Dies in Philadelphia

Dr. Moses deFord, 76, father of Allen V. deFord, 3601 Connecticut avenue northwest, died Sunday at Philadelphia. The funeral will be held at 2 p. m. today at 1820 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

Robert L. Bier Dies; Folger Library Aide

Had Charge of Priceless Literary Articles as Head Bookbinder

Services for Robert L. Bier, 71, head bookbinder at the Folger Shakespeare Library, who died Sunday, will be at 2 p. m. today at his home, 649 Massachusetts avenue northeast. Burial will be in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

A native of Baltimore, Mr. Bier commenced work as a bookbinder there at an early age. He came to Washington in 1897 to join the Government Printing Office, where he remained until 1913, when he was transferred to the fine arts section of the Library of Congress.

When the Folger Library opened in 1932 he was put in charge of the priceless literary works of that institution.

Mr. Bier was a former secretary-treasurer of the Stanton Park Citizens Association and a member of the Masonic Lodge at Odenton, Md., his former home.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Isabelle K. Bier; three daughters, Miss M. Elmira Bier, of this city; Mrs. P. S. Watts, of Severn, Md., and Mrs. A. M. Pennington, of McLean, Va., and a son, Dr. Robert A. Bier, of this city.

Capt. Basil Duke Rites Today; Will Lie in Arlington

Services for Capt. Basil Duke, 77, former topographic engineer in the Geological Survey, will be at 11 a. m. today at W. Reuben Pumphrey's funeral home, Bethesda, Md. Burial will be in Arlington Cemetery.

Capt. Duke died Sunday at Mount Alto Hospital of pneumonia. He retired from the Geological Survey in 1932.

Capt. Duke was the son of Gen. Basil Duke, a Kentucky cavalry officer in the Confederate Army. He was a charter member of the old Columbia Athletic Club and for years was one of its most versatile athletes. He lived at 114 Battery lane, Battery Park, Md.

Funeral Service For Miss Ramisch To Be Held Today

Services for Miss Helen Juliana Ramisch, 30, Washington amateur actress, who died Saturday, will be held at 9 a. m. today at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

A lifelong resident of the District, Miss Ramisch attended the Sacred Heart School and McKinley High School, from which she was graduated in 1928.

Miss Ramisch was active in the Black Friars Guild, dramatic society.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Teresa E. Ramisch; four brothers, Julius G., Mathew J., Joseph L., and J. Richard Ramisch; and a sister, Miss Mary Evelyn Ramisch, of this city

Capt. Hensey Rites At Arlington Today

Funeral for Capt. Charles W. Hensey, who died at Maxton, N. C., Sunday, will be held at Arlington Cemetery at 1:30 p. m. today.

Capt. Hensey, 48, who retired from the Army 14 months ago, was a native of Cumberland, Md. He enlisted in the Army in 1914 and was commissioned in the World War. He was on duty with the Army Finance Department here for three years before retirement. His wife survives.

Mrs. S. D. Albertson Dies Near Rockville

Mrs. Sarah D. Albertson, 79, died Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry A. Dawson, on the Rockville pike near Rockville. She was the widow of Charles A. Albertson. She is also survived by several brothers.

Mrs. Albertson was a native of Moline, Ill., and had lived there until she came to the home of her sister about seven years ago. The burial will take place at Moline.

Rep. Schwert Urges Congress To Obey D. C. Traffic Laws

Tells All House Members and Senators Police Courtesy Should Not Be Abused; Rep. Schulte to Sponsor Drunken Driving Film

Members of Congress were advised yesterday by one of their colleagues to study and obey District traffic regulations, as another member prepared to sponsor showing a motion picture at the Capitol on the evils of drunken driving.

Representative Schwert (Democrat), of New York, one-time major league baseball player, addressed the appeal to all Senators and Representatives and included a digest of the local traffic regulations.

"During a recent conversation with the police lieutenant in my neighborhood," he wrote, "I found that I had been violating parking regulations in Washington because of the difference between local regulations and those at home.

"It occurred to me that, for a similar reason, many of the Senators and Representatives may be violating local ordinances. The local Department of Vehicles and Traffic was kind enough to issue courtesy plates for display on our automobiles.

"The use of these courtesy plates should not be abused, and we as a group should endeavor to uphold local laws rather than violate them."

Explaining that he had obtained copies of a digest of the traffic regulations from the District Motor Club, Schwert added:

"We, as drivers, or our chauffeurs, should abide by these regulations."

A member of the House District Committee, Schwert before his election to Congress was county clerk of Erie, N. Y., where he was in charge of auto registrations and issuance of driving permits.

Plans for inviting all members of Congress and their secretaries to see the film, "Drunken Driving," and perhaps other movies on traffic safety, were disclosed at the House District Committee meeting by Representative Schulte (Democrat), of Indiana, chairman of the subcommittee on traffic.

Schulte said the film would be furnished by the District Motor Club and that Representative Vreeland (Republican), of New Jersey, would try to obtain films shown for educational purposes in his own State.

The date for the show was not set, but Schulte said he would seek permission to use the House caucus room.

Mine Blast Victims' Widows And Orphans Get U. S. Checks

The Social Security Board already has approved Federal old-age and survivors' insurance payments for the families of 49 victims of the mine disaster at Bartley, W. Va., January 10.

John J. Corson, director of the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors' Insurance, referred to the Bartley cases to show "what family protection means" in an NBC radio speech last night.

Of the 91 victims, all but ten had been regularly employed and were eligible for benefits, and 53 claims already have been received.

"Benefits for these families are based on the average monthly wage of the deceased worker," Corson explained. "Until the youngest child reaches 18, monthly checks will continue for all these families."

Twelve of the widows with one child each will receive an average of $32.35 a month; four with two children each will average $42.90; six with three children, $52.27, and 12 with four or more children will receive from $48 to $55 a month.

Dr. T. C. Gibson Dies at 74 at Home of Sister

Dr. Thomas Catlett Gibson, former head of the Utah State medical board, died yesterday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Myrtle G. Boteler, 4315 New Hampshire avenue northwest. He was 74.

A native of Madison County (Va.) he was educated at Georgetown University Medical School. Following his graduation he practiced in North Carolina and Colorado before going to Salt Lake City 38 years ago.

Dr. Gibson served as Army medical examiner in Salt Lake City during the war. He retired from practice there a year ago and came to Washington to live.

Besides Mrs. Boteler, Dr. Gibson leaves another sister, Mrs. Daisy McClenny, of Phoenix, Ariz., and a brother, J. Barber Gibson, of Webb City, Mo.

Funeral rites will be held at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow at the home.

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MENTHOLATUM Gives COMFORT Daily

AFL Suspends Printers' Union In Dues Fight

I. T. U. Is Warned of Expulsion by August Unless Fund Is Paid

By the Associated Press

Miami, Fla., Jan. 29.—The International Typographical Union, one of the oldest labor organizations in the country, was suspended from the American Federation of Labor today for continued refusal to pay special assessments for organization purposes.

The federation's executive council, in midwinter conference here, ordered the suspension and warned the I. T. U., embracing approximately 80,000 members, that it faces expulsion unless the dues are paid by August, when the A. F. L. holds its next meeting in Atlantic City.

National officers of the I. T. U. were suspended by the federation's convention in Cincinnati last October because of the assessment difficulties. Today's order instructed all local unions to disassociate themselves with even State and central labor bodies.

President William Green of the federation blamed recent leanings toward John L. Lewis' rival Congress of Industrial Organizations for failure of I. T. U. to pay the assessment.

The council also received application for charter from a group of building service employes engaged in bowling alley work throughout the country.

The conference also received the resignation of A. O. Wharton, of Washington, D. C., president of the Machinists Union, because of ill-health.

Green indicated Wharton's successor probably would be named at the present conference.

Last Rites Held At Fort Myer For Capt. Uhlig

Funeral services for Capt. Frank Julius Uhlig, USMC., retired, were held yesterday at Fort Myer Chapel. Burial was in Arlington Cemetery. Lieut. Comdr. W. Salisbury Stanton, Navy Chaplain Corps, officiated. Capt. Uhlig died Friday.

Pallbearers included Lieut. Cols. Walter T. H. Galliford, Graves B. Kilmartin, Ralph R Robinson, and Robert C. Kilmartin; Maj. Eugene H. Price and Capts. Robert E. Hogaboom and Joseph C. Burger, all of the Marine Corps; and Lieut. Comdr. Ernest McN. Price, USN.

Capt Uhlig, 32, was a native of New York City. A graduate of the Naval Academy in the class of 1925, he served aboard the U. S. S. Florida and the U. S. S. Wyoming, and in China with the Third Marine Brigade and the United States Embassy Guard at Peiping

G. F. Campbell To Be Buried in Arlington Today

Services for George Francis Campbell, 62, who died at his home in Arlington, Va., Sunday, will be at 1:40 p. m. today at the C. J. Ives funeral chapel, Clarendon. Burial will be at Arlington Cemetery with military honors.

Services will be conducted by the Rev. George J. Grewenow, pastor of Faith Lutheran Church, Arlington, and the American Legion Post of the Bureau of Engraving.

A native of Jacksonville, Ill., Campbell was employed at the Bureau of Engraving for 33 years. During the war, he was a first lieutenant in the Veterinary Corps at Camp Meade. He is survived by his wife, Stella G. Campbell, and a brother, Ora C. Campbell.

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Cold Weather Trouble Leads List of Excuses For 59 Who Got Car Parking Tickets Fixed

A driver who parked next to a fire hydrant which was buried in a snowdrift, another who left his car in front of a school converted into a warehouse, and three doctors who were detained by an operation were among 59 persons who got traffic tickets adjusted last week.

Fifty-two tickets were disposed of with warnings and seven were cancelled, police revealed yesterday.

Eight parkers were excused with warnings because their cars were disabled by the cold. John W. Scott, 3505 Macomb street northwest, was warned for parking on the wrong side of the curb because the street was icy.

Esther Arango, of the Columbian Embassy, and Col. Pedro Zanni, of the Argentine Embassy, got their tickets canceled through diplomatic immunity.

Lawrence Wulfecamp, 525 Tucker street northwest, got off with a warning because a piece of steel had lodged in an eye and he was "compelled to leave car to visit physician."

One ticket was disposed of with a warning because F. B. Zantzinger, of Hyattsville, Md., had a "letter to Major and Superintendent" Ernest W. Brown. Thomas L. Baltimore, of Front Royal, Va., was let off with a warning at request of T. A. Slaughter, of the Front Royal police department. Leniency was recommended by Traffic Inspector Holmes.

Timothy A. Fitzgerald, of Bethesda, Md., and Detective Sergt. D. H. Jones, 2326 Huidekoper place northwest, were excused with warnings because they were on official police business. Toussaint Mayes, 1515 T street northwest, was excused at request of H. D. Jacobs, of the Labor Department. He was on official business.

Malcolm F. Crockett, 1321 Irving street northwest, was the driver who did not see the fire plug in the snow. Leonard Monroe, of 1737 Fourteenth street northwest, got his ticket canceled because the Dennison School now is used as a District warehouse and parking is permitted in front of it.

The three doctors detained by an operation at Children's Hospital were let off with warnings on parking overtime, at request of the hospital superintendent. They were Dr. Joseph Horgan, 1801 T street; Dr. E. C. Rice, 7516 Morningside drive, and Dr. John H. McLeod, Chevy Chase, Md.

Those whose cars were disabled by the weather included Joseph A. Kell, 1546 Eighth street northwest; Russell Edelin, 2331 Third street northeast; Thomas Parker, 2203 Champlain street northwest; James Raynor, 1030 Fairmont street northwest; Andrew M. Carlin, 1853 Mintwood place northwest; Winslow W. Murray, 3224 Stanton road southeast; Fred S. Rogers, LaSalle Apartments, and Pete Puglisi, 5024 Illinois avenue northwest.

Others warned or given cancellations, and the reasons stated, were: Willis B. Morse, 666 Maryland avenue northeast, doctor on professional call; Opal C. Potter, Arlington, Va., ill and confined to bed; Elizabeth T. Wolfe, 3724 Seventeenth street northwest, ill; Walter R. Parnell, 1825 Vernon street northwest, parked to deliver package; Willard R. Stroup, 4506 Georgia avenue northwest, out of gas; Thomas N. Hendricks, 2514 Fourteenth street northwest, ill.

Lewis A. Perry, 1231 Jackson street northeast, out of gas; Russell C. Wright, 1278 Morse street northeast, radio repairman delivering radio; Helen Furer, 2101 Connecticut avenue northwest, no signs to indicate no parking; the Rev. J. B. Carruthers, Cosmos Club, technical violation; George F. Sockman, 330 Rhode Island avenue northeast, broken axle; Harry K. Fischer, 415 Seventh street southwest, signs changed after car was parked legally.

Kenneth F. Matthews, Richmond, Va., visitor; Bernard C. Barter, Woodley Park Towers, parked in rear of another car already there and did not see curb markings; Aaron Esersky, 3726 Northampton street northwest, parked temporarily to turn car over to another operator; Bernardo Mico, 3030 Tennyson street northwest, no curb at parking location; Dr. Joseph V. Kennedy, 5300 Twenty-seventh street northwest, previous good record; Harry J. Wright, 418 Kennedy street northwest, previous good record.

Bessie A. Stombock, 3020 Cambridge place northwest, previous good record; John F. Edmundson, 301 Maryland avenue northeast, stopped momentarily; Dr. Kenneth F. Laughlin, 7701 Georgia avenue northwest, doctor on emergency call; John O. Thornberry, 4412 Greenwich parkway northwest, obstructed entrance, was on private property; Esther Tolnick, 1423 Thirty-fourth street northwest, parked between cars front and rear; Stanley Hess, 2615 Forty-second street northwest, unimproved street.

Elizabeth Pitt, Alexandria, Va., parking signs changed; Dr. Cesar A. Bocock, Gallinger Hospital, physician on emergency call; Henry E. Thorn, jr., 1309 L street northwest, undertaker; Daniel O'Brien, Capitol Park Hotel, car broke down; John C. Teter, Neola, W. Va., stranger; William Greene, West New York, N. J., stranger; James Gramley, Haddenfield, N. J., stranger; Dr. Marsarin Dollmany, 4936 Quebec street northwest, doctor on emergency call.

Edward B. Sonneborn, 2799 Twenty-eighth street northwest, mistake of officer; William Smith, 1133 Tenth street northwest, ill; Wade H. Kers, 1151 North Capitol street, ill; Floyd W. Philco, 700 8 street northwest, ill; Frank N. Boyd, 311 Thirteenth street northeast, car pushed.

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